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How to use this book

This main part of the book is devoted to 12 themed chapters, broken down into five 15-minute daily lessons, the last of which is a revision lesson. So, in just 12 weeks you will have completed the course. A concluding reference section contains a menu guide and English-to-Spanish and Spanish-to-English dictionaries.

Warm up and clock
Each day starts with a one-minute warm-up that encourages you to recall vocabulary or phrases you have learned previously. A clock to the right of the heading bar indicates the amount of time you are expected to spend on each exercise.

Instructions
Each exercise is numbered and introduced by instructions that explain what to do. In some cases additional information is given about the language point being covered.

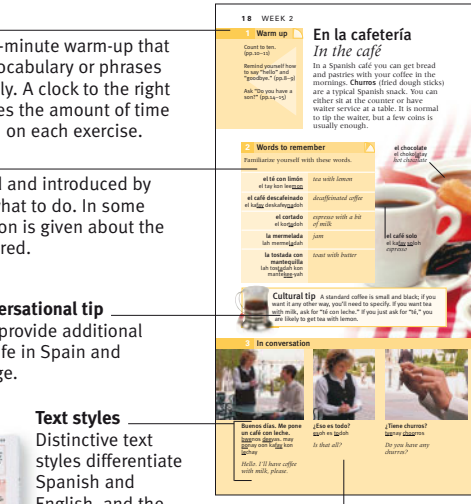
Cultural/Conversational tip
These panels provide additional insights into life in Spain and language usage.

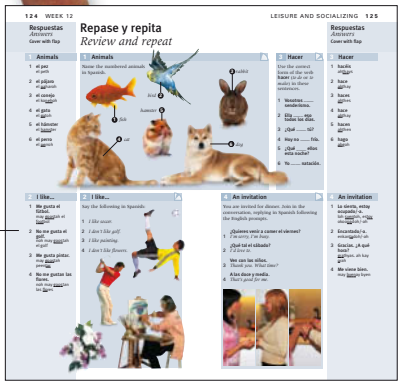
Text styles
Distinctive text styles differentiate Spanish and English, and the pronunciation guide (see right).

In conversation
Illustrated dialogues reflecting how vocabulary and phrases are used in everyday situations appear throughout the book.

How to use the flap
The book's cover flaps allow you to conceal the Spanish so that you can test whether you have remembered correctly.

Revision pages
A recap of selected elements of previous lessons helps to reinforce your knowledge.





Pronunciation guide

This book teaches European Spanish, which differs in pronunciation from the various dialects spoken in Latin America. A few Spanish sounds require special explanation:

- **c** a Spanish **c** is pronounced *th* before **i** or **e** but **k** before other vowels: **cinco** theenkoh (*five*)
- **h** **h** is always silent: **hola** o-lah (*hello*)
- **j (g)** a Spanish **j** (and **g** before **i** or **e**) is pronounced as a strong *h*, as if saying *hat* emphazing the first letter
- **ll** pronounced *y* as in *yes*
- **ñ** pronounced *ny* like the sound in the middle of *canyon*
- **r** a Spanish **r** is trilled like a Scottish **r**, especially at the beginning of a word and when doubled
- **v** a Spanish **v** is halfway between an English *b* and *v*
- **z** a Spanish **z** is pronounced *th*

Spanish vowels tend to be pronounced shorter than their English equivalents:

- **a** as the English *father*
- **e** as the English *wet*
- **i** as the English *keep*
- **o** as the English *boat*
- **u** as the English *boot*

After each word or phrase you will find a pronunciation transcription, with underlining showing the stress. Remember that this can only be an approximation; there is no substitute for listening to and mimicking native speakers.

Useful phrases
Selected phrases relevant to the topic help you speak and understand.

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4 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases. Read the English under the pictures and say the phrase in Spanish as shown on the right. Then cover the Spanish with the flap and test yourself.

Me pone un café, may-pohnay oon kafay
I'll have a black coffee.

¿Eso es todo? eh-soh ehs toh-doh
Is that all?

Yo voy a tomar churros. yoh boy ah toh-mar choo-rrohs
I'm going to have some churrros.

¿Cuánto es? kwahn-toh ehs
How much is that?

los churros
los choo-rrohs
churros

el azúcar
el ah-thoo-kar
sugar

el café con leche
el kafay kon lay-chay
coffee with milk

Sí, señor. see, sen-yor
Yes, sir.

Gracias. ¿Cuánto es? grah-thyas. kwahn-toh es
Thank you. How much is that?

Cuatro euros, por favor. kwah-troh eh-oo-rohs, por fah-bor
Four euros, please.

Say it
In these exercises you are asked to apply what you have learned using different vocabulary.

5 Say it

Do you have a single room, please?

For six nights.

Is breakfast included?

Menu guide
Use this guide as a reference for food terminology and popular Spanish dishes.

Dictionary
A mini-dictionary provides ready reference from English to Spanish and Spanish to English for 2,500 words.

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Dictionary
English to Spanish

The gender of a Spanish noun is indicated by the word for *the*: **el** and **la** (masculine and feminine singular) or their plural forms **los** (masculine) and **las** (feminine). Spanish adjectives (*ady*) vary according to the gender and number of the word they describe, and the masculine form is shown here. In general, adjectives that end in **-o** adopt an **-a** ending in the feminine form, and those that end in **-e** usually stay the same. For the plural form, **-es** is added.

A
a un/una
able (*ady*) to be *ah-bl* poder
about (*prep*) sobre *soh-bray*
accelerator (*n*) acelerador *ah-thel-ay-rah-dor*
accommodation (*n*) alojamiento *ah-loh-hah-myen-toh*
adapter (*n*) adaptador *ah-dahp-tah-dor*
address (*n*) dirección *dee-rek-thyon*
adult (*n*) adulto/a *ah-dool-toh/tah*
aeroplane (*n*) avión *ah-vyon*
after (*prep*) después de *dehs-pwehs day*
afternoon (*n*) tarde *tar-day*
again otra vez *oh-trah veth*
air (*n*) aire *ah-ee-ray*
air conditioning (*n*) aire acondicionado *ah-ee-ray ah-kon-dee-thyoh-nah-doh*
airport (*n*) aeropuerto *ah-ay-roh-pwehr-toh*
alcohol (*n*) alcohol *al-koh-ol*
all (*ady*) todo/a *toh-doh/dah*
allergic (*ady*) alérgico/a *ah-lehr-hee-koh/kah*
almond (*n*) almendra *al-men-drah*
alone (*ady*) solo/a *soh-loh/lah*
already ya *yah*
always siempre *syem-pray*
ambulance (*n*) ambulancia *am-boo-lan-thya*
America América *ah-may-ree-kah*
American (*n*) americano/a *ah-may-ree-kah-noh/nah*
and (*after "i" or "h"*) e *ay*
answer (*v*) responder *rehs-pon-dehr*
answering machine (*n*) contestador automático *kon-tehs-tah-dor ow-toh-mah-tee-koh*
antifreeze (*n*) anticongelante *an-tee-kon-hay-lahn-tay*
antique shop (*n*) tienda de antigüedades *tyen-dah day an-tee-gway-thah-dehs*
apartment (*n*) apartamento, piso *ah-par-tah-men-toh, pee-soh*
aperitif (*n*) aperitivo *ah-pay-ree-tee-boh*
apple (*n*) manzana *man-thah-nah*
appointment (*n*) cita (*an official appointment*) *thee-tah*
apricot (*n*) albaricoque *al-bah-ree-koh-kay*
April *ah-preel*
are: you are (*informal*) *eres eh-rehs*; (*formal singular*) *es eh-ehs*; (*formal plural*) *son sohn*; (*informal plural*) *sois soh-ees*; *we are somos soh-mohs*; *they are son sohn*
arm (*n*) brazo *brah-thoh*
arrive (*vb*) llegar *yay-gar*
art gallery (*n*) galería de arte *gah-lay-ree-ah ah-tay*
ashtray (*n*) cenicero *thay-nee-thay-roh*
ask (*v*) *ah-thehr*; (*to request*) *pay-deer*
aspirin (*n*) aspirina *ah-spee-ree-nah*
asthmatic (*n*) asmático/a *ahs-mah-tee-koh/kah*
at: at the post office en Correos; *at night* por la noche; *at 3 o'clock* a las tres
athletic shoes (*n*) zapatos de deporte *thah-pah-tohs day day-por-tay*
Atlantic Ocean (*n*) Océano Atlántico *oh-thay-ah-noh at-lan-tee-koh*
attractive (*person*) guapo/a (*object*) bonito/a (*other*) *gwah-poh/pah, boh-nee-toh/tah*
August agosto *ah-gohs-toh*
aunt (*n*) tía *tee-ah*
Australia Australia *ah-oos-trah-lee-ah*
Australian (*n*) australiano/a (*adj*) australiano *ah-oos-trah-lee-ah-noh/nah*
available disponible *dees-poh-nee-bl-ay*
away: is it far away? ¿está lejos? *ehs-tah leh-hohs*
awful horrible *aw-ree-bl-ay*

B
baby (*n*) niño pequeño, niña pequeña *nee-nyoh peh-kay-nyoh, nee-nyah peh-kay-nyah*
baby carriage (*n*) cochecito *koh-chay-thee-toh*
baby wipes (*n*) toallitas húmedas *toh-ah-yee-tahs oo-may-dahs*
back (*not front*) la parte de atrás, (*body*) la espalda *lah par-tay day ah-trahs, lah ehs-pahl-dah*
backpack (*n*) mochila *moh-chee-lah*
bacon (*n*) beicon *bay-kon*
bad malo/a *mah-loh/lah*
bag (*n*) bolso *bohl-soh*
baggage (*n*) equipaje *ay-kee-pah-hay*
bakery (*n*) panadería *pah-nah-day-ree-ah*
balcony (*n*) balcón *bal-kon*

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Menu guide
This guide lists the most common terms you may encounter on Spanish menus or when shopping for food. If you can't find an exact phrase, try looking up its component parts.

A
aceitunas *ath-ay-too-nahs* olives
aceite *ath-ay-tay* oil
aceite de oliva *ath-ay-tay day oh-lee-bah* olive oil
ahumados *ah-oo-mah-dohs* smoked
agua mineral *ah-gwah mee-nay-rahl* water
ajo *ah-hoh* garlic
al ajillo *al ah-hee-yoh* with garlic
a la parilla *ah lah pah-ree-yah* grilled
albaricoques *al-bah-ree-koh-kays* apricots
albóndigas *al-bohn-dee-gahs* meatballs
alcachofas *al-kah-choh-fahs* artichokes
alcaparras *al-kah-par-rahs* capers
alioli *ah-lee-oh-lee* garlic mayonnaise
almejas *al-may-hahs* clams
a la marinera *ah lah mah-ree-nay-rah* cooked in wine and parsley
a la romana *ah lah roh-mah-nah* battered and deep-fried
almendras *al-men-drahs* almonds
alubias *ah-loo-byahs* beans
anchoas *an-choh-ahs* anchovies
angulas *an-goo-lahs* baby eels
arenque *ah-ren-kay* herring
arroz *ah-roth* rice
arroz a la cubana *ah-roth ah lah koo-bah-nah* rice with fried egg and banana fritters
arroz con leche *ah-roth kon lay-chay* rice pudding
asado *ah-sah-doh* roast
atún *ah-toon* tuna
azúcar *ah-thoo-kar* sugar

B
bacalao a la vizcaína *bah-kah-lah-oh ah lah veeth-kah-ee-nah* cod cooked with peppers, and chili pepper
bacalao al pil pil *bah-kah-lah-oh al peel peel* cod cooked with chili pepper and garlic
batido *bah-tee-doh* milkshake
berenjenas *bay-ren-hay-nahs* aubergines
berenjenas rellenas *bay-ren-hay-nahs ray-yay-nahs* stuffed aubergines
bistec *bees-tek* steak
bocadillo *boh-kah-dee-yoh* sandwich
bocadillo de calamares *boh-kah-dee-yoh day kah-lah-mah-rehs* squid cooked in their own ink
bocadillo de jamón *boh-kah-dee-yoh day hah-mohn* ham sandwich
bocadillo de lomo *boh-kah-dee-yoh day loh-moh* pork sandwich
bocadillo de queso *boh-kah-dee-yoh day kay-soh* cheese sandwich
bocadillo de tortilla *boh-kah-dee-yoh day tor-tee-yah* omelette sandwich
bocadillo de vegetales *boh-kah-dee-yoh day bay-hay-tah-lehs* vegetable sandwich
bocadillo vegetal *boh-kah-dee-yoh bay-hay-tal* vegetable sandwich
bocata *boh-kah-tah* sandwich
bocata de calamares *boh-kah-tah day kah-lah-mah-rehs* squid cooked in their own ink
bocata de jamón *boh-kah-tah day hah-mohn* ham sandwich
bocata de lomo *boh-kah-tah day loh-moh* pork sandwich
bocata de queso *boh-kah-tah day kay-soh* cheese sandwich
bocata de tortilla *boh-kah-tah day tor-tee-yah* omelette sandwich
bocata vegetal *boh-kah-tah bay-hay-tal* vegetable sandwich
bocata de vegetales *boh-kah-tah day bay-hay-tah-lehs* vegetable

1 Warm up

The Warm Up appears at the beginning of each lesson. It will remind you of what you have already learned and prepare you for moving ahead with the new subject.

Hola
Hello

In Spain, women often greet each other with one or two kisses on the cheek, and men shake other men's hands, although men may kiss or embrace younger male relatives or close friends. In formal situations—among strangers or in a business context—a handshake is the norm.

2 Words to remember

Look at these greetings and say them aloud. Conceal the text on the left with the cover flap and try to remember the Spanish for each item. Check your answers.

Buenos días. bwenos deeyas	*Good morning/day.*
Me llamo Ana. may yamoh anna	*My name is Ana.*
Encantado/-a. enkan-tadoh/-ah	*Pleased to meet you (man/woman speaking).*
Buenas tardes (noches). bwenas tardes (noches)	*Good afternoon/ evening (night).*

¡Hola!
o-lah
Hello!

Cultural tip The Spanish frequently address people as "señor" (sir), "señora" (madam, for older women), and "señorita" (miss, for young women). With first names use "Don" for men or "Doña" for women: Don Juan, Doña Ana.

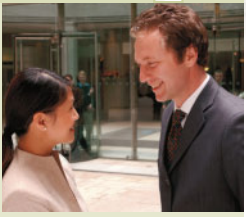
3 In conversation: formal

Buenos días. Me llamo Concha García.
bwenos deeyas. may yamoh konchah garthee-ah

Good day. My name is Concha García.

Señor López, encantado.
senyor lopeth, enkan-tadoh

Mr. López, pleased to meet you.



Encantada.
enkan-tadah

Pleased to meet you.

4 Put into practice

Join in this conversation. Read the Spanish beside the pictures on the left and then follow the instructions to make your reply. Then test yourself by concealing the answers on the right with the cover flap.

Buenas tardes señor.
bwenas tardes senyor
Good evening, sir.

Say: Good evening, madam.

Buenas tardes señora.
bwenas tardes senyorah

Me llamo Julia.
may yamoh hoolya
My name is Julia.

Say: Pleased to meet you.

Encantado.
enkan-tadoh

5 Useful phrases

Read these phrases aloud several times and try to memorize them. Conceal the Spanish with the cover flap and test yourself.

What's your name?	**¿Cómo se llama?** komo seh yamah
Goodbye.	**Adiós.** addy-os
Thank you.	**Gracias.** grathyas
See you soon/ tomorrow.	**Hasta pronto/mañana.** astah prontoh/ manyanah

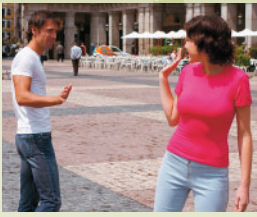
6 In conversation: informal

Entonces, ¿hasta mañana?
entonthes, astah manyanah

So, see you tomorrow?

Sí, adiós.
see, addy-os

Yes, goodbye.



Adiós. Hasta pronto.
addy-os. astah prontoh

Goodbye. See you soon.

1 Warm up

Say "hello" and "goodbye" in Spanish. (pp.8–9)

Now say "My name is...". (pp.8–9)

Say "sir" and "madam." (pp.8–9)

Las relaciones
Relatives

The Spanish equivalents of *mom* and *dad* are **mamá** and **papá**. The male plural can refer to both sexes—for example, **niños** (*boys* and *children*), **padres** (*fathers* and *parents*), **abuelos** (*grandfathers* and *grandparents*), **tíos** (*uncles* and *aunt and uncle*), **hermanos** (*brothers* and *siblings*), and so on.

2 Match and repeat

Look at the people in this scene and match their numbers with the list at the side. Read the Spanish words aloud. Then conceal the list with the cover flap and test yourself.

1 **la hermana**
lah airmanah

2 **el abuelo**
el abweloh

3 **el padre**
el pahdray

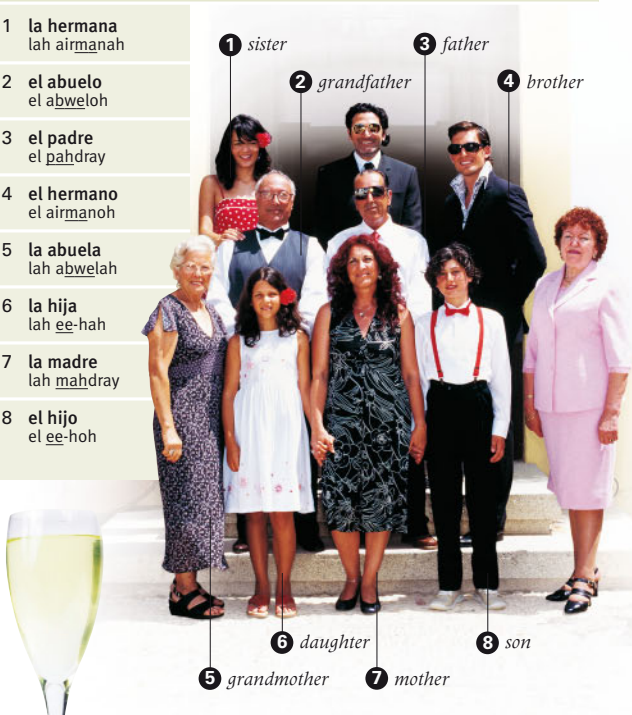
4 **el hermano**
el airmanoh

5 **la abuela**
lah abwelah

6 **la hija**
lah ee-hah

7 **la madre**
lah mahdray

8 **el hijo**
el ee-hoh



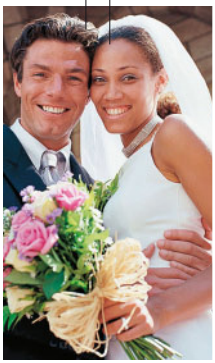
Conversational tip In Spanish, things as well as people are masculine or feminine—for example, "wine" is masculine ("el vino") but "milk" is feminine ("la leche"). Use "los" and "las" for masculine and feminine plurals, respectively. For "a/an," use "un" for masculine and "una" for feminine items.

3 Words to remember: relatives

Familiarize yourself with these words. Read them aloud several times and try to memorize them. Conceal the Spanish with the cover flap and test yourself.

el marido
el mareedoh
husband

la mujer
lah moo-hair
wife



Estoy casado/-a.
estoy kasadoh/-ah
I'm married (m/f).

father/mother-in-law	**el suegro/la suegra** el swegroh/lah swegrah
stepfather	**el padrastro** el padras-troh
stepmother	**la madrastra** lah madras-trah
children (male/female)	**los niños/las niñas** los neenyos/las neenyas
uncle/aunt	**el tío/la tía** lah tee-ah/el tee-oh
cousin	**el primo/la prima** el preemoh/lah preemah
I have four children.	**Tengo cuatro niños.** tengoh kwatroh neenyos
I have two stepdaughters and a stepson.	**Tengo dos hijastras y un hijastro.** tengoh dos ee-hastras ee oon ee-hastroh

4 Words to remember: numbers

Memorize these words and then test yourself using the cover flap.

Be careful when you use the number one. When you use **uno** in front of a word, it changes to **un** or **una**, depending on whether that word is masculine or feminine. For example: **Tengo un hijo** (*I have one son*), **Tengo una hija** (*I have one daughter*).

one	**uno/-a** oonoh/-ah
two	**dos** dos
three	**tres** tres
four	**cuatro** kwatroh
five	**cinco** theenkoh
six	**seis** seys
seven	**siete** syetay
eight	**ocho** ochoh
nine	**nueve** nwebay
ten	**diez** dyeth

5 Say it

I have five sons.

I have three sisters and a brother.

I have two children.

1 Warm up

Say the Spanish for as many members of the family as you can. (pp.10–11)

Say "I have two sons." (pp.10–11)

Mi familia
My family

There are two ways of saying *you* in Spanish, **usted** for formal situations and **tú** in informal ones. There is also a formal way of saying *your*—**su** (singular) and **sus** (plural): **usted y su mujer** (*you and your wife*), **¿Son ésos sus hijos?** (*Are those your sons?*). **Su** and **sus** also mean *his* and *her.*

2 Words to remember

Say these words aloud a few times. Conceal the Spanish with the cover flap and try to remember the Spanish word for each item.

mi mee	*my (with singular)*
mis mees	*my (with plural)*
tu too	*your (informal with singular)*
tus toos	*your (informal with plural)*
su soo	*your (formal with singular)*
sus soos	*your (formal with plural)*
su soo	*his/her (with singular)* *their (with singular)*
sus soos	*his/her (with plural)* *their (with plural)*

Éstos son mis padres.
estos son mees pahdres
These are my parents.

3 In conversation

¿Tiene usted niños?
tyenay oosted neenyos

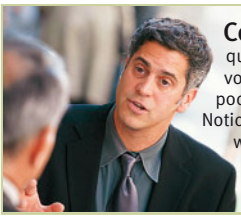
Do you have any children?

Sí, tengo dos hijas.
see, tengoh dos ee-has

Yes, I have two daughters.

Éstas son mis hijas. ¿Y usted?
estas son mees ee-has. ee oosted

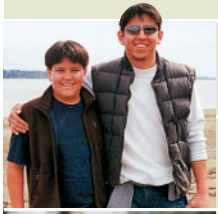
These are my daughters. And you?



Conversational tip The Spanish ask a question by simply raising the pitch of the voice at the end of a statement: "¿Quieres un poco de vino?" ("Do you want a little wine?"). Notice the upside-down question mark (¿) written at the beginning of the question. You will also see an upside-down exclamation mark, as in "¡Hola!" ("Hello!").

4 Useful phrases

Read these phrases aloud several times and try to memorize them. Conceal the Spanish with the cover flap and test yourself.



Do you have any brothers? (formal)

¿Tiene usted hermanos?
tyenay oosted airmanos

Do you have any brothers? (informal)

¿Tienes hermanos?
tyenes airmanos

This is my husband.

Éste es mi marido.
estay es mee mareedoh

That's my wife.

Ésa es mi mujer.
esah es mee moo-hair

Is that your sister? (formal)

¿Es ésa su hermana?
es esah soo airmanah

Is that your sister? (informal)

¿Es ésa tu hermana?
es esah too airmanah

No, pero tengo un hijastro.
noh, peroh tengoh oon ee-hastroh

No, but I have a stepson.

5 Say it

Do you have any brothers and sisters? (formal)

Do you have any children? (informal)

I have two sisters.

This is my wife, María.

1 Warm up

Say "See you soon." (pp.8–9)

Say "I am married" (pp.10–11) and "I have a wife." (pp.12–13)

Ser y tener
To be and to have

Two of the most important verbs are **ser** (*to be*) and **tener** (*to have*). Note that there are different ways of saying *you*, *we*, and *they*, with formal and informal, singular and plural, and masculine and feminine forms. Pronouns (*I, you*, etc.) are omitted where the sense is clear.

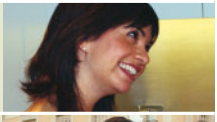
2 Ser: to be

Familiarize yourself with **ser** (*to be*). When you are confident, practice the sample sentences below. Note: there is another verb meaning "to be"—**estar**, which is discussed on page 49.

yo soy yoh soy	*I am*
tú eres too eh-res	*you are (informal singular)*
usted es oosted es	*you are (formal singular)*
él/ella es el/eh-yah es	*he/she is*
nosotros/-as somos nosotros/-as somos	*we are (masculine/feminine)*
vosotros/-as sois bosotros/-as soys	*you are (informal plural, m/f)*
ustedes son oostedes son	*you are (formal plural)*
ellos/-as son eh-yos/-yas son	*they are (masculine/feminine)*

Yo soy inglesa.
yoh soy eenglesah
I'm English.

¿De dónde es usted? day donday es oosted	*Where are you from?*
Es mi hermana. es mee airmanah	*She is my sister.*
Somos españoles. somos espanyoles	*We're Spanish.*



3 Tener: to have

Practice **tener** (*to have*) and the sample sentences, then test yourself.

¿Tiene rosas rojas?
tyenay rosas rohas
Do you have red roses?

I have	**yo tengo** yoh tengoh
you have (informal singular)	**tú tienes** too tyenes
you have (formal singular)	**usted tiene** oosted tyenay
he/she has	**él/ella tiene** el/eh-yah tyenay
we have (masculine/feminine)	**nosotros/-as tenemos** nosotros/-as tenaymos
you have (informal plural, m/f)	**vosotros/-as teneis** bosotros/-as tenays
you have (formal plural)	**ustedes tienen** oostedes tyenen
they have (masculine/feminine)	**ellos/-as tienen** eh-yos/-yas tyenen

He has a meeting.	**Tiene una reunión.** tyenay oonah re-oonyon

Do you have a cell phone?	**¿Tiene usted móvil?** tyenay oosted mobeel?

How many brothers and sisters do you have?	**¿Cuántos hermanos tiene usted?** kwantos airmanos tyenay oosted

4 Negatives

It is easy to make sentences negative in Spanish; just put **no** in front of the verb: **No somos americanos** (*We're not American*).

la bicicleta
lah beetheekletah
bicycle

No tengo coche.
noh tengoh kochay
I don't have a car.

I'm not Spanish.	**No soy español.** noh soy espanyol
He's not a vegetarian.	**No es vegetariano.** noh es be-hetaryanoh
We don't have any children.	**No tenemos niños.** noh tenaymos neenyos

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

1 How many?

1 **tres**
tres

2 **nueve**
nwebay

3 **cuatro**
kwatroh

4 **dos**
dos

5 **ocho**
ochoh

6 **diez**
dyeth

7 **cinco**
theenkoh

8 **siete**
syetay

9 **six**
seys

2 Hello

1 **Buenos días. Me llamo... [your name].**
bwenos deeyas. may yamoh...

2 **Encantado/-a.**
enkan-tadoh/-ah

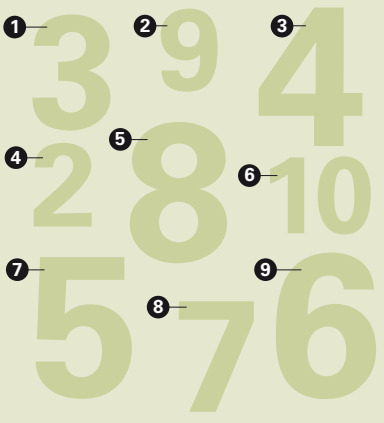
3 **Sí, y tengo dos hijos. ¿Y usted?**
see, ee tengoh dos ee-hos. ee oosted

4 **Adiós. Hasta mañana.**
addy-os. astah manyanah

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 How many?

Cover the answers with the flap. Then say these Spanish numbers out loud. Check to see if you remembered the Spanish correctly.



2 Hello

You are talking to someone you have just met. Join in the conversation, replying in Spanish following the English prompts.

Buenos días. Me llamo María.
1 *Answer the greeting and give your name.*

Éste es mi marido, Juan.
2 *Say "Pleased to meet you."*

¿Está usted casado/-a?
3 *Say "Yes, and I have two sons. And you?"*

Nosotros tenemos tres hijos.
4 *Say "Goodbye. See you tomorrow."*

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

3 To have or be

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of **tener** (*to have*) or **ser** (*to be*). Check to see if you have remembered the Spanish correctly.

1 **Yo ____ americana.**

2 **Nosotros ____ cuatro niños.**

3 **Yo no ____ feliz.**

4 **¿ ____ tú coche?**

5 **Él ____ mi marido.**

6 **Yo no ____ teléfono móvil.**

7 **Tú no ____ español.**

8 **¿ ____ usted hijos?**

3 To have or be

1 **soy**
soy

2 **tenemos**
tenaymos

3 **soy**
soy

4 **tienes**
tyenes

5 **es**
es

6 **tengo**
tengoh

7 **eres**
eh-res

8 **tiene**
tyenay

4 Family

Say the Spanish for each of the numbered family members. Check to see if you have remembered the Spanish correctly.

4 Family

1 **la hermana**
lah airmanah

2 **el abuelo**
el abweloh

3 **el padre**
el pahdray

4 **el hermano**
el airmanoh

5 **la abuela**
lah abwelah

6 **la hija**
lah ee-hah

7 **la madre**
lah mahdray

8 **el hijo**
el ee-hoh

1 Warm up

Count to ten. (pp.10–11)

Remind yourself how to say "hello" and "goodbye." (pp.8–9)

Ask "Do you have a son?" (pp.14–15)

En la cafetería
In the café

In a Spanish café you can get bread and pastries with your coffee in the mornings. **Churros** (fried dough sticks) are a typical Spanish snack. You can either sit at the counter or have waiter service at a table. It is normal to tip the waiter, but a few coins is usually enough.

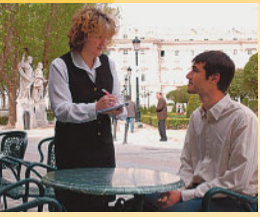
2 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words.

el té con limón el tay kon leemon	*tea with lemon*
el café descafeinado el kafay deskafeynadoh	*decaffeinated coffee*
el cortado el kortadoh	*espresso with a bit of milk*
la mermelada lah mermeladah	*jam*
la tostada con mantequilla lah tostadah kon mantekee-yah	*toast with butter*

Cultural tip A standard coffee is small and black; if you want it any other way, you'll need to specify. If you want tea with milk, ask for "té con leche." If you just ask for "té," you are likely to get tea with lemon.

3 In conversation



Buenos días. Me pone un café con leche.
bwenos deeyas. may ponay oon kafay kon lechay

Hello. I'll have coffee with milk, please.

¿Eso es todo?
esoh es todoh

Is that all?

¿Tiene churros?
tyenay choorros

Do you have any churros?

4 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases. Read the English under the pictures and say the phrase in Spanish as shown on the right. Then cover the Spanish with the flap and test yourself.

I'll have a black coffee.

Me pone un café.
may ponay oon kafay

Is that all?

¿Eso es todo?
esoh es todoh

I'm going to have some churros.

Yo voy a tomar churros.
yoh boy ah tomar choorros

How much is that?

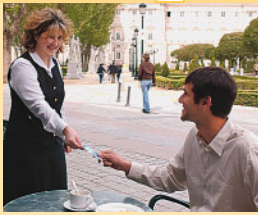
¿Cuánto es?
kwantoh es

Sí, señor.
see, senyor

Yes, sir.

Gracias. ¿Cuánto es?
grathyas. kwantoh es

Thank you. How much is that?



Cuatro euros, por favor.
kwatroh eh-ooros, por fabor

Four euros, please.

1 Warm up

Ask "How much is that?" (pp.18–19)

Say "I don't have a brother." (pp.14–15)

Ask "Do you have any churros?" (pp.18–19)

En el restaurante
In the restaurant

There are a variety of different types of eating places in Spain. In a **bar** or **tasca** you can find a few **tapas** or snacks. Lunch is the main meal of the day, but if you are not very hungry, many restaurants offer tapas at the bar, which is usually very economical for a light meal.

2 Words to remember

Memorize these words. Conceal the Spanish with the cover flap and test yourself.

la carta lah kartah	*menu*
la carta de vinos lah kartah day beenos	*wine list*
los entrantes los entrantes	*appetizers*
el plato principal el platoh preentheepal	*main course*
los postres los postres	*desserts*
el desayuno el desah-yoonoh	*breakfast*
el almuerzo el almooairthoh	*lunch*
la cena lah thenah	*dinner*

3 In conversation

Hola. Una mesa para cuatro, por favor.
o-lah. oonah mesah parah kwatroh, por fabor

Hello. A table for four, please.

¿Tiene una reserva?
tyenay oonah reserbah

Do you have a reservation?

Sí, a nombre de Cortés.
see, ah nombray day kortes

Yes, in the name of Cortés.

4 Match and repeat

Look at the numbered objects on this table and match them with the items in the vocabulary list at the side. Read the Spanish words aloud. Now, conceal the list with the cover flap and test yourself.

1 **la copa**
lah kopah

2 **la servilleta**
lah serbee-yetah

3 **el plato**
el platoh

4 **el tenedor**
el tenedor

5 **la cuchara**
lah koocharah

6 **el cuchillo**
el koochee-yoh

7 **la taza**
lah tathah

8 **el platillo**
el plateeyoh

5 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap to conceal the Spanish.

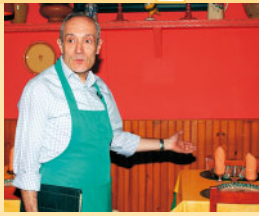
What do you have for dessert?	**¿Qué tiene de postre?** kay tyenay day postray
The check, please.	**La cuenta, por favor.** lah kwentah, por fabor

¿Fumadores o no fumadores?
foomadores oh noh foomadores

Smoking or nonsmoking?

No fumadores, por favor.
noh foomadores, por fabor

Nonsmoking, please.



Síganme, por favor.
seegan-may, por fabor.

Follow me, please.

1 Warm up

What are "breakfast," "lunch," and "dinner" in Spanish? (pp.20–1)

Say "I," "you" (informal), "he," "she," "we," "you" (plural/formal), "they" (masculine), "they" (feminine). (pp.14–15)

Querer
To want

Querer (*to want*) is a verb that is essential to everyday conversation. There is also a polite form, **quisiera** (*I'd like*). Use this when requesting something because **quiero** (*I want*) may sound too strong: **¿Qué quiere beber?** (*What do you want to drink?*); **Quisiera una cerveza** (*I'd like a beer*).

2 Querer: to want

Say the different forms of **querer** (*to want*) aloud. Use the cover flap to test yourself and, when you are confident, practice the sample sentences below.

yo quiero yoh kyairoh	*I want*
tú quieres/usted quiere too kyaires/oosted kyairay	*you want (singular, informal/ formal)*
él/ella quiere el/eh-yah kyairay	*he/she wants*
nosotros/-as queremos nosotros/-as keraymos	*we want (masculine/ feminine)*
vosotros/-as queréis/ ustedes quieren bosotros/-as kerays/ oostedes kyairen	*you want (plural, informal/ formal)*
ellos/-as quieren eh-yos/-as-yas kyairen	*they want (masculine/ feminine)*

Quiero caramelos.
kyairoh karamelos
I want some candy.

¿Quieres vino? kyaires beenoh?	*Do you want some wine?*
Quiere un coche nuevo. kyairay oon kochay nweboh	*She wants a new car.*

Conversational tip Although it may sound rude to you, Spaniards don't say "please" (por favor) or "thank you" (gracias) very often, and they hardly ever say "excuse me" (perdón) or "I'm sorry" (lo siento), but they use the tone of their voices and choice of words to imply politeness, such as "quisiera" (I'd like) instead of "quiero" (I want).

3 Polite requests

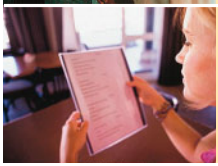
Practice the following sample phrases that use **quisiera** (*I'd like*), the form of **quiero** (*I want*) that is used for polite requests.

I'd like a beer.

Quisiera un cerveza.
keesyairah oon therbaythah

I'd like a table for tonight.

Quisiera una mesa para esta noche.
keesyairah oonah mesah parah estah nocheh

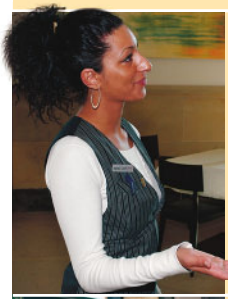


I'd like to see the menu, please.

Quisiera ver la carta, por favor.
keesyairah ber lah kartah, por fabor

4 Put into practice

Join in this conversation. Read the Spanish beside the pictures on the left and follow the instructions to make your reply. Then test yourself by concealing the answers using the cover flap.



Buenas tardes señor. ¿Tiene una reserva?
bwenas tardes senyor. tyeneh oonah reserbah
Good evening, sir. Do you have a reservation?

Say: No, but I would like a table for three.

No, pero quisiera una mesa para tres.
noh, peroh keesyairah oonah mesah parah tres

Muy bien. ¿Qué mesa le gustaría?
mwee byen. kay mesah le goostareeyah
Fine. Which table would you like?

Say: Near the window, please.

Cerca de la ventana, por favor.
therkah day lah bentanah, por fabor

1 Warm up

Say "She's happy" and "I'm not sure." (pp.14–15)

Ask "Do you have churros?" (pp.18–19)

Say "I'd like coffee with milk." (pp.18–19)

Los platos
Dishes

Spain offers a large variety of regional dishes. Plenty of garlic and olive oil are a feature of many typical recipes. Restaurants do not normally offer a vegetarian menu; there are, however, many traditional Spanish dishes that do not contain any meat. Ask your waiter for advice.

Cultural tip At lunch time, you will find many restaurants offer "el menú del día" (the day's set menu). This is usually a three-course meal with bread and a drink included in the price.

2 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items to the Spanish words in the panel.

1 **las verduras**
las berdooras

2 **la fruta**
lah frootah

3 **el queso**
el kesoh

4 **los frutos secos**
los frootos sekos

5 **la sopa**
lah sopah

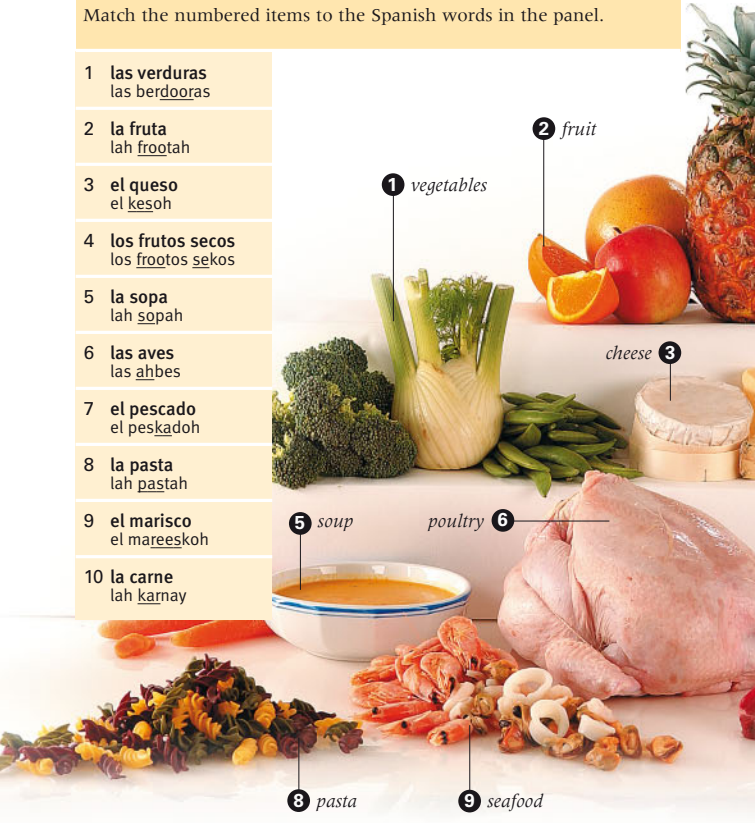
6 **las aves**
las ahbes

7 **el pescado**
el peskadoh

8 **la pasta**
lah pastah

9 **el marisco**
el mareeskoh

10 **la carne**
lah karnay



3 Words to remember: cooking methods

The ending often varies depending on the gender of item described.

Quisiera mi filete bien hecho.
keesyairah mee feeletay byen eh-choh
I'd like my steak well done.

fried (m/f)	**frito/-a** freetoh/-ah
grilled	**a la plancha** ah lah planchah
roasted (m/f)	**asado/-a** ahsadoh/-ah
boiled (m/f)	**hervido/-a** erbeedoh/-ah
steamed	**al vapor** al bapor
rare (m/f)	**poco hecho/-a** pokoh eh-choh/-ah

6 Say it

What is "tortilla"?

I'm allergic to seafood.

I'd like a beer.

4 Words to remember: drinks

Familiarize yourself with these words.

water	**el agua** el ahgwah
sparkling water	**el agua con gas** el ahgwah kon gas
still water	**el agua sin gas** el ahgwah seen gas
wine	**el vino** el beenoh
beer	**la cerveza** lah thairbaythah
fruit juice	**el zumo** el thoomoh

5 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself.

I am a vegetarian (m/f).	**Soy vegetariano/-a.** soy be-hetareeanoh/-ah
I am allergic to nuts. (m/f)	**Soy alérgico/-a a los frutos secos.** soy ahler-heekoh/-ah ah los frootos sekos
What is "conejo"?	**¿Qué es "conejo"?** kay es kone-hoh

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 What food?

1 **los frutos secos**
los frootos sekos

2 **el marisco**
el mareeskoh

3 **la carne**
lah karnay

4 **el azúcar**
el ah-thookar

5 **la copa**
lah kopah

1 What food?

Name the numbered items.

2 This is my...

1 **Ésta es mi mujer.**
estah es mee moo-hair

2 **Aquí están sus hijas.**
ahkee estan soos ee-has

3 **Su mesa es de no fumadores.**
soo mesah es day noh foomadores

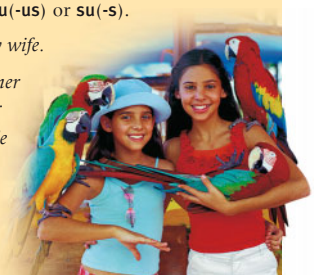
2 This is my...

Say these phrases in Spanish.
Use **mi**(**-s**), **tu**(**-us**) or **su**(**-s**).

1 *This is my wife.*

2 *Here are her daughters.*

3 *Their table is non-smoking.*



3 I'd like...

1 **Quisiera un café.**
keesyairah oon kafay

2 **Quisiera churros.**
keesyairah choorros

2 **Quisiera azúcar.**
keesyairah ah-thookar

4 **Quisiera un café con leche.**
keesyairah oon kafay kon lechay

3 I'd like...

Say "I'd like" the following:

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

1 What food?

6 **la pasta**
lah pastah

7 **el cuchillo**
el koochee-yoh

8 **el queso**
el kesoh

9 **la servilleta**
lah serbee-yetah

10 **la cerveza**
lah thairbaythah

4 Restaurant

You arrive at a restaurant. Join in the conversation, replying in Spanish following the English prompts.

Buenas tardes señora, señor.
1 *Ask for a table for six.*

¿Fumadores o no fumadores?
2 *Say: nonsmoking.*

Síganme, por favor.
3 *Ask for the menu.*

¿Quiere la carta de vinos?
4 *Say: No. Sparkling water, please.*

Muy bien.
5 *Say you don't have a glass.*

4 Restaurant

1 **Buenas tardes, quisiera una mesa para seis.**
bwenas tardes, keesyairah oonah mesah parah seys

2 **No fumadores.**
noh foomadores

3 **La carta, por favor.**
lah kartah, por fabor

4 **No. Agua con gas, por favor.**
noh. ahgwah kon gas, por fabor

5 **No tengo copa.**
noh tengoh kopah

1 Warm up

Say "he is" and "they are." (pp.14–15)

Say "he is not" and "they are not." (pp.14–15)

What is Spanish for "the children"? (pp.10–11)

Los días y los meses

Days and months

In Spanish, days of the week (**los días de la semana**) and months (**los meses**) do not have capital letters. Notice that you use **en** with months: **en abril** (*in April*), but **el** or **los** with days: **el/los lunes** (*on Monday/Mondays*).

2 Words to remember: days of the week

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

lunes loones	*Monday*
martes martes	*Tuesday*
miércoles myairkoles	*Wednesday*
jueves hwebes	*Thursday*
viernes byernes	*Friday*
sábado sabadoh	*Saturday*
domingo domeengoh	*Sunday*
hoy oy	*today*
mañana manyanah	*tomorrow*
ayer ah-yair	*yesterday*

Nos reunimos mañana.
mos reh-ooneemos manyanah
We meet tomorrow.

Tengo una reserva para hoy.
tengoh oonah reserbah parah oy
I have a reservation for today.

3 Useful phrases: days

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the flap.

La reunión no es el martes. lah reh-oonyon noh es el martes	*The meeting isn't on Tuesday.*
Trabajo los domingos. traba-hoh los domeengos	*I work on Sundays.*

4 Words to remember: months

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

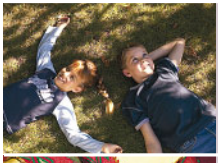
Nuestro aniversario es en julio.
nwestroh aneebairsaree-oh es en hoolee-oh
Our anniversary is in July.

Navidad es en diciembre.
nabeedad es en deethyembray
Christmas is in December.

January	**enero** ehneroh
February	**febrero** febreroh
March	**marzo** marthoh
April	**abril** abreel
May	**mayo** mah-yoh
June	**junio** hoonee-oh
July	**julio** hoolee-oh
August	**agosto** agostoh
September	**septiembre** septyembray
October	**octubre** oktoobray
November	**noviembre** nobyembray
December	**diciembre** deethyembray
month	**el mes** el mes
year	**el año** el anyoh

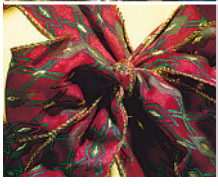
5 Useful phrases: months

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the flap.



My children are on vacation in August.

Mis hijos están de vacaciones en agosto.
mees ee-hos estan day bakathyones en agostoh



My birthday is in June.

Mi cumpleaños es en junio.
mee koomplay-anyos es en hoonee-oh

1 Warm up

Count in Spanish from 1 to 10. (pp.10–11)

Say "I have a reservation." (pp.20–1)

Say "The meeting is on Wednesday." (pp.28–9)

La hora y los números
Time and numbers

The hour is preceded by **la** as in **la una** (*one o'clock*) and **las** for other numbers: **las dos**, **las tres**, and so on. In English the minutes sometimes come first (*"ten to five"*); in Spanish the hour comes first: **las cinco menos diez** (*"five minus ten"*).

2 Words to remember: time

Memorize how to tell the time in Spanish.

la una lah oonah	*one o'clock*
la una y cinco lah oonah ee theenkoh	*five after one*
la una y cuarto lah oonah ee kwartoh	*one-fifteen*
la una y media lah oonah ee medee-ah	*one-thirty*
la una y veinte lah oonah ee beyntay	*one-twenty*
las dos menos cuarto las dos menos kwartoh	*quarter to two*
las dos menos diez las dos menos dyeth	*ten to two*

3 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

¿Qué hora es? kay orah es	*What time is it?*	
¿A qué hora quiere el desayuno? ah kay orah kyairay el desah-yoonoh	*What time do you want breakfast?*	
La reunión es a mediodía. lah reh-oonyon es ah maydyodee-ah	*The meeting is at noon.*	

4 Words to remember: higher numbers

To say 21 you use veinti and add **uno** (*one*): **veintiuno**. Successive numbers are created in the same way—for example, **veintidós** (22), **veintitrés** (23), and so on. After 30, link the numbers with **y** (*and*): **treinta y uno** (31), **cuarenta y cinco** (45), **sesenta y seis** (66).

Note the special forms used for 500, 700, and 900: **quinientos**, **setecientos**, and **novecientos**.

eleven	**once** onthay
twelve	**doce** dothay
thirteen	**trece** trethay
fourteen	**catorce** katorthay
fifteen	**quince** keenthay
sixteen	**dieciséis** deeaytheeseyees
seventeen	**diecisiete** deeaytheesyeytay
eighteen	**dieciocho** deeaythyochoh
nineteen	**diecinueve** deeaythynwebay
twenty	**veinte** beyntay
thirty	**treinta** treyntah
forty	**cuarenta** kwarentah
fifty	**cincuenta** theenkwentah
sixty	**sesenta** sesentah
seventy	**setenta** setentah
eighty	**ochenta** ochentah
ninety	**noventa** nobentah
one hundred	**cien** theeayn
two hundred	**doscientos** dos-theeayntos
five hundred	**quinientos** keeneeayntos
one thousand	**mil** meel
two thousand	**dos mil** dos meel
one million	**un millón** oon mee-yon

Quiero el autobús cincuenta y tres.
kyairoh el aootoboos theenkwentah ee tres
I want the route 53 bus.

5 Say it

25

68

84

91

five to ten.

eleven-thirty.

What time is lunch?

1 Warm up

Say the days of the week. (pp.28–9)

Say "three o'clock." (pp.30–1)

What's the Spanish for "today," "tomorrow," and "yesterday"? (pp.28–9)

Las citas
Appointments

Business in Spain is generally conducted more formally than in the United States. The Spanish also tend to leave the office for the lunch hour, often having a sit-down meal. Remember to use the formal forms of "you" (**usted**, **ustedes**) in business situations.

2 Useful phrases

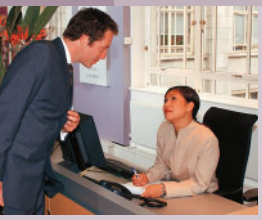
Learn these phrases and then test yourself.

¿Nos reunimos mañana? nos reh-ooneemos manyanah	*Shall we meet tomorrow?*
¿Con quién? kon kee-en	*With whom?*
¿Cuándo está libre? kwandoh esta leebray	*When are you free?*
Lo siento, estoy ocupado(-a). loh syentoh, estoy okoopadoh(-ah)	*I'm sorry, I'm busy.*
¿Qué tal el jueves? keh tal el hwebes	*How about Thursday?*
A mí me va bien. ah mee may bah byen	*That's good for me.*

el apretón de manos
el apreton day manos
handshake

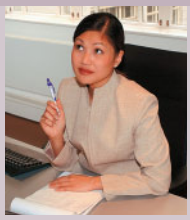
Bienvenido.
byenveneedoh
Welcome.

3 In conversation



Buenos días. Tengo una cita.
bwenos deeyas. tengoh oonah theetah

Good morning. I have an appointment.



¿Con quién es la cita?
kon kee-en es lah theetah

With whom is the appointment?

Con el Señor Montoya.
kon el senyor montoyah

With Mr. Montoya.

4 Put into practice

Join in this conversation. Read the Spanish beside the pictures on the left and then follow the instructions to make your reply. Then test yourself by concealing the answers on the right with the cover flap.

¿Nos reunimos el jueves?
nos reh-ooneemos el hwebes?
Shall we meet Thursday?

Say: Sorry, I'm busy.

Lo siento, estoy ocupado(-a).
loh syentoh, estoy okoopadoh(-ah)

¿Cuándo está libre?
kwandoh esta leebray
When are you free?

Say: Tuesday afternoon.

El martes por la tarde.
el martes por lah tarday

A mí me va bien.
ah mee may bah byen
That's good for me.

Ask: At what time?

¿A qué hora?
ah kay orah

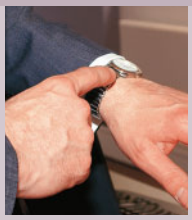
A las cuatro, si a usted le va bien.
ah las kwatroh, see ah oosted le bah byen
At four o'clock, if that's good for you.

Say: Yes, it's good for me.

Sí, me va bien.
see, may bah byen

Muy bien. ¿A qué hora?
mwee byen. ah kay orah?

Okay. What time?



A las tres, pero llego un poco tarde.
ah las tres, peroh yegoh oon pokoh tarday

At three o'clock, but I'm a little late.

No se preocupe. Tome asiento, por favor.
noh say pre-ohkoopay. tomay asyaintoh, por fabor

Don't worry. Take a seat, please.

1 Warm up

Say "I'm sorry." (pp.32–3)

What is the Spanish for "I'd like an appointment"? (pp.32–3)

How do you say "when?" in Spanish? (pp.32–3)

Por teléfono
On the telephone

The emergency number for police, ambulance, or fire services is 112. For directory assistance, dial 11818. Telephone cards can be used with public or private phones by dialing in a code. Available from newsstands and tobacconists, they are a cheap way to call overseas.

2 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items to the Spanish in the panel on the left, then test yourself.

1 **el cargador**
el kargador

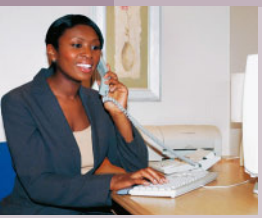
2 **el contestador automático**
el kontestador aootomateekoh

3 **la tarjeta telefónica**
lah tarhetah telefoneekah

4 **el móvil**
el mobeel

5 **los auriculares**
los aooreekoolares

3 In conversation



Dígame, Susana Castillo al habla.
deegamay, soosanah kasteeyoh al ablah

Hello. Susana Castillo speaking.

Buenos días. Quisiera hablar con Julián López, por favor.
bwenos deeyas. keesyair-ah ablar kon hooleean lopeth, por fabor

Hello. I'd like to speak to Julián López, please.

¿De parte de quién?
day partay day kee-en?

Who's calling?

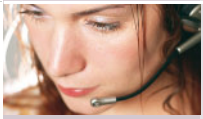
4 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

Quiero llamar a cobro revertido.
kyeroh yamar ah kobroh rreberteedoh
I'd like to make a collect call.

I'd like an outside line.

Quisiera una línea externa.
keesyairah oonah leeneah externah



I'd like to speak to María Alfaro.

Quisiera hablar con María Alfaro.
keesyairah ablar kon mareeah alfaroh

❷ *answering machine*

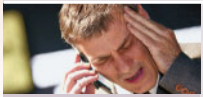
Can I leave a message?

¿Puedo dejar un mensaje?
pwedoh dehar oon mensahay

5 Say it

I'd like to speak to Mr. Girona.

Can I leave a message for Antonio?



Sorry, I have the wrong number.

Perdone, me he equivocado de número.
perdonay, may ay ekeebokadoh day noomeroh

José Ortega, de Imprentas Lacuesta.
hosay ortegah, day eemprentas lakwestah

José Ortega of Lacuesta Printers.

Lo siento. La línea está comunicando.
loh syaintoh. lah leeneah estah komooneekandoh

I'm sorry. The line is busy.

¿Le puede decir que me llame, por favor?
lay pweday detheer kay may yamay, por fabor

Can you ask him to call me, please?

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 Sums

1 **dieciséis**
deeaytheesayees

2 **treinta y nueve**
treyntah ee nwebay

3 **cincuenta y tres**
theenkwentah ee tres

4 **setenta y cuatro**
setentah ee kwatroh

5 **noventa y nueve**
nobentah ee nwebay

1 Sums

Say the answers to these sums out loud in Spanish. Then check to see if you remembered correctly.

1 *10 + 6 = ?*
2 *14 + 25 = ?*
3 *66 – 13 = ?*
4 *40 + 34 = ?*
5 *90 + 9 = ?*

3 Telephones

What are the numbered items in Spanish?

2 I want...

1 **Quiere**
kyairay

2 **quiere**
kyairay

3 **queremos**
keraymos

4 **quieres**
kyaires

5 **quieren**
kyairen

6 **quiero**
kyairoh

2 I want...

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of **querer** (*to want*).

1 **¿ ____ usted un café?**
2 **Ella ____ ir de vacaciones.**
3 **Nosotros ____ una mesa para tres.**
4 **Tú ____ una cerveza.**
5 **Ellos ____ una mesa para dos.**
6 **Yo ____ caramelos.**

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

3 Telephones

1 **el móvil**
el mobeel

2 **el contestador automático**
el kontestador aootomateekoh

3 **la tarjeta telefónica**
lah tarhetah telefoneekah

4 **el teléfono**
el telefonoh

5 **los auriculares**
los aooreekoolares

4 When?

What do these sentences mean?

1 **Tengo una cita el lunes veinte de mayo.**

2 **Mi cumpleaños es en septiembre.**

3 **Hoy es domingo.**

4 **No trabajo en agosto.**

4 When?

1 *I have a meeting on Monday, May 20th.*

2 *My birthday is in September.*

3 *Today is Sunday.*

4 *I don't work in August.*

5 Time

Say these times in Spanish.

5 Time

1 **la una**
lah oonah

2 **la una y cinco**
la oonah ee theenkoh

3 **la una y veinte**
lah oonah ee beyntay

4 **la una y media**
lah oonah ee medee-ah

5 **la una y cuarto**
lah oonah ee kwartoh

6 **las dos menos diez**
las dos menos dyeth

1 Warm up

Count to 100 in tens. (pp.10–11, pp.30–1)

Ask "What time is it?" (pp.30–1)

Say "One-thirty." (pp.30–1)

En la oficina de billetes

At the ticket office

In Spain, commuter trains are very economical, clean, and efficient. Long-distance trains still offer smoking and nonsmoking carriages, and the prices vary depending on what day you travel, blue days being the cheapest.

2 Words to remember

Learn these words and then test yourself.

la estación lah estathyon	*(train) station*
la terminal lah termeenal	*(bus) station*
el billete el beeyetay	*ticket*
de ida day eedah	*one-way*
de ida y vuelta day eedah ee bweltah	*round-trip*
de primera day preemerah	*first class*
de segunda day segoondah	*second class*
el descuento el deskwentoh	*discount*

el pasajero
el pasahairoh
passenger

la señal
lah senyal
sign

La estación está llena de gente.
lah estathyon estah yenah day hentay
The station is crowded.

3 In conversation

Dos billetes para Bilbao, por favor.
dos beeyetes parah beeba-oh, por fabor

Two tickets to Bilbao, please.

¿De ida y vuelta?
day eedah y bweltah

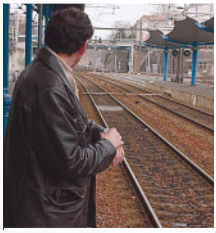
Round-trip?

Si. ¿Necesito reservar asiento?
see. nethesseetoh rreseerbar asyaintoh

Yes. Do I need to reserve seats?

4 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.



Mi tren va con retraso.
mee tren bah kon rretrasoh
My train is late.

How much is a ticket to Madrid?	**¿Cuánto cuesta un billete para Madrid?** kwantoh kwaystah oon beeyetay parah madreed
Can I pay by credit card?	**¿Puedo pagar con tarjeta de crédito?** pwedoh pagar kon tarhetah day kredeetoh
Do I have to change trains?	**¿Tengo que cambiar?** tengoh kay kambee-ar
Which platform does the train leave from?	**¿De qué andén sale el tren?** day kay anden salay el tren
Are there any discounts?	**¿Hay algún descuento?** ah-ee algoon deskwentoh
What time does the train to Gijón leave?	**¿A qué hora sale el tren para Gijón?** ah kay orah salay el tren parah geehon

5 Say it

Which platform does the train to Madrid leave from?

Three round-trip tickets to Murcia, please.

Cultural tip

Most train stations now have automatic ticket machines that will often also take credit cards.

No hace falta. Cuarenta euros, por favor.
noh ahthay faltah. kwarentah eh-ooros, por fabor

That's not necessary. Forty euros, please.

¿Aceptan tarjetas de crédito?
ahtheptan tarhetas day kredeetoh

Do you take credit cards?

Si. El tren sale del andén cinco.
see. el tren salay del anden theenkoh

Yes. The train leaves from platform five.

1 Warm up

What is "train" in Spanish? (pp.38–9)

What does "¿De qué andén sale el tren?" mean? (pp.38–9)

Ask "When are you free?" (pp.32–3)

Ir y coger
To go and to take

The verbs **ir** (*to go*) and **coger** (*to take*) allow you to create many useful sentences. Note that **coger** can also mean to catch: **coger una pelota** (*to catch a ball*), **coger un resfriado** (*to catch a cold*); to grab: **coger a alguien** (*to grab someone*); and to hold: **coger a un bebé** (*to hold a baby*).

2 Ir: to go

Spanish uses the same form of **ir** for both *I go* and *I am going*: **voy a Madrid** (*I am going to Madrid/I go to Madrid*). The same is true of other verbs—for example, **cojo el metro** (*I am taking the metro/I take the metro*).

yo voy yoh boy	*I go*
tú vas/usted va too bas/oosted bah	*you go (informal/ formal singular)*
él/ella va el/eh-yah bah	*he/she goes*
nosotros(-as) vamos nosotros(-as) bamos	*we go*
vosotros(-as) vais/ ustedes van bosotros/-as baees/ oostedes ban	*you go (informal/ formal plural)*
ellos/ellas van eh-yos/eh-yas ban	*they go*
¿A dónde vas? ah donday bas	*Where are you going?*
Voy a Madrid. boy ah madreed	*I am going to Madrid.*

Voy a la Plaza de España.
boy ah lah plathah day espanyah
I am going to the Plaza de España.

Conversational tip You may have noticed that "de" (of) combines with "el" to produce "del" as in "Museo del Prado" (literally, museum of the Prado); "el menú del día" (menu of the day). In the same way, "a" (to) combines with "el" to produce "al": "Voy al museo" (I'm going to the museum). With feminine and plural words, "de" remains separate from "la," "los," and "las."

3 Coger: to take

Say the present tense of **coger** (*to take*) aloud. Use the cover flap to test yourself. When you are confident, practice the sentences below.

Yo cojo el metro todos los días.
yoh kohoh el metroh todos los deeyas
I take the metro every day.

yo cojo yoh kohoh	*I take*
tú coges/usted coge too kohes/oosted kohay	*you take (informal/ formal singular)*
él/ella coge el/eh-yah kohay	*he/she takes*
nosotros(-as) cogemos nosotros(-as) kohaymos	*we take*
vosotros(-as) cogéis/ustedes cogen bosotros(-as) kohe-ees/ oostedes kohen	*you take (informal/ formal plural)*
ellos/ellas cogen eh-yos/eh-yas kohen	*they take*

No quiero coger un taxi.
noh kyairoh koher oon taksee
I don't want to take a taxi.

Coja la primera a la izquierda.
kohah lah preemerah ah lah eethkyairdah
Take the first left.

4 Put into practice

Cover the text on the right and complete the dialogue in Spanish.

¿A dónde va?
ah donday bah
Where are you going?

Say: I'm going to the Puerta del Sol.

Voy a la Puerta del Sol.
boy ah lah pwertah del sol

¿Quiere coger el autobús?
kyairay koher el aootoboos
Do you want to take the bus?

Say: No, I want to go by metro.

No, quiero ir en metro.
noh, kyairoh eer en metroh

1 Warm up

Say "I don't want to take a taxi." (pp.40–1)

Ask "Where are you going?" (pp.40–1)

Say "80" and "40." (pp.30–1)

Taxi, autobús, y metro

Taxi, bus, and metro

The metro and some buses operate a ticket system where you have to validate your tickets in a machine. There's a standard fare per ride, but you can also buy a **metrobús**, a book of 10 tickets for both buses and metro.

2 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words.

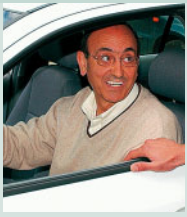
el autobús el aootoboos	*bus*
la taquilla lah takeeyah	*ticket office*
la estación de metro lah estathyon day metroh	*metro station*
la parada de autobús lah paradah day aootoboos	*bus stop*
la tarifa lah tareefah	*fare*
el taxi el taksee	*taxi*
la parada de taxis lah paradah day taksees	*taxi stand*

¿Para aquí el 17?
parah ahkee el deeaytheeseeaytay
Does the route 17 bus stop here?

3 In conversation: taxi

A la Plaza de España, por favor.
ah lah plathah day espanyah, por fabor

Plaza de España, please.



Sí, de acuerdo, señor.
see, day akwairdo, senyor

Yes, certainly, sir.

¿Me puede dejar aquí, por favor?
may pweday dehar ahkee, por fabor

Can you drop me here, please?

4 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

I'd like a taxi to go to the Prado.

Quisiera un taxi para ir al Prado.
keesyairah oon taksee parah eer al prado

When is the next bus?

¿Cuándo sale el próximo autobús?
kwandoh salay el prokseemoh aootoboos

How do you get to the museum?

¿Cómo se va al museo?
komoh say bah al moosayoh

How long is the trip?

¿Cuánto dura el viaje?
kwantoh doorah el beeahay

Please wait for me.

Espéreme, por favor.
esperemay, por fabor

Cultural tip Metro lines in Madrid are known by numbers and the names of the first and last stations. Look for the relevant end station. The Madrid metro runs every day between 6:00 am and 2:00 am.

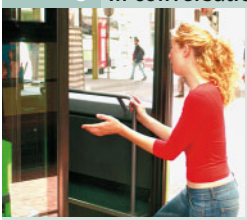
6 Say it

Do you go near the train station?

Do you go near the Prado?

When's the next bus to Barcelona?

5 In conversation: bus

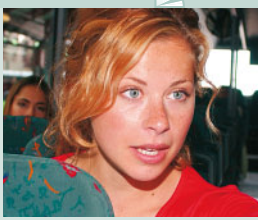


¿Pasa cerca del museo?
pasah therkah del moosayoh

Do you go near the museum?

Sí. Son 80 céntimos.
see. son ochentah thenteemos

Yes. That's 80 cents.



Avíseme cuando lleguemos.
abeesemay kwandoh yeghemos

Tell me when we arrive.

1 Warm up

How do you say "I have..."? (pp.14–15)

Say "my father," "my sister," and "my parents." (pp.10–11, pp.12–13)

Say "I'm going to Madrid." (pp.40–1)

En la carretera
On the road

Spanish **autopistas** (*toll highways*) are fast but can be quite expensive. You will find signs for **el peaje** (*toll payment stations*). These have multiple lanes. Make sure you enter a green lane that allows payment by cash or credit card. Some lanes are for pass-holders or trucks only.

2 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items to the list on the left, then test yourself.

1 **el maletero**
el malaytairoh

2 **el parabrisas**
el parabreesas

3 **el capó**
el kapoh

4 **la rueda**
lah rwedah

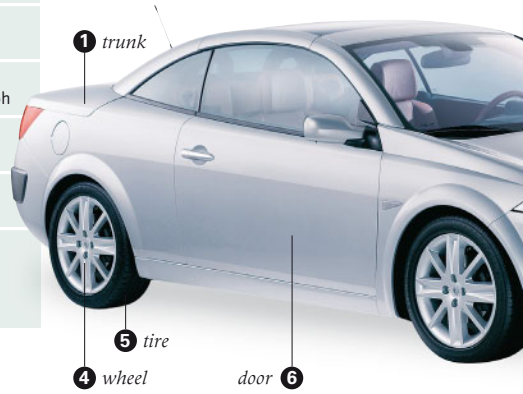
5 **el neumático**
el ne-oomateekoh

6 **la puerta**
lah pwertah

7 **los faros**
los faros

8 **el parachoques**
el parachokes

Cultural tip Some self-service gas stations can be unattended. In this case, you usually have to specify how many liters you want and pay by card *before* filling up.



3 Road features

la rotonda
lah rrotonduh

roundabout

el semáforo
el semaforoh

traffic lights

el cruce
el kroothay

intersection

4 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

The turn signal doesn't work.

El intermitente no funciona.
el intairmeetaintay noh foonthyonah

Fill it up, please.

Lleno, por favor.
yennoh, por fabor

5 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words, then test yourself using the flap.

gasoline	**la gasolina** lah gasoleenah
diesel	**el gasoil** el gasoil
oil	**el aceite** el ah-thayeetay
engine	**el motor** el motor
gearbox	**la caja de cambios** lah kahah day kambyos
turn signal	**el intermitente** el intairmeetaintay
flat tire	**la rueda pinchada** lah rwaydah peenchadah
exhaust	**el tubo de escape** el tooboh day eskapay
driver's license	**el carné de conducir** el karnay day kondootheer

6 Say it

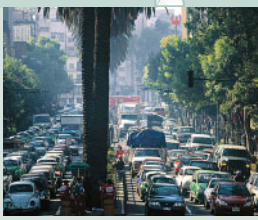
There's something wrong with my engine.

I have a flat tire.

la autopista
lah aootopeestah

highway/expressway

la autopista de peaje
lah aootopeestah day pyahay
toll highway



el atasco de tráfico
el ataskoh day trafeekoh

traffic jam

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 Transportation

1 **el autobús**
el aootoboos

2 **el taxi**
el taksee

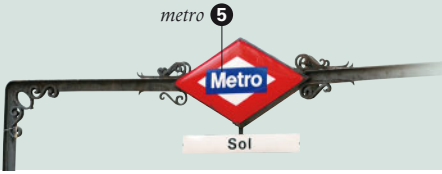
3 **el coche**
el kochay

4 **la bicicleta**
lah beetheekletah

5 **el metro**
el metroh

1 Transportation

Name these forms of transport in Spanish.



2 Go and take

1 **ir**
eer

2 **cojo**
kohoh

3 **va**
bah

4 **vamos**
bamos

5 **cogen**
kohen

6 **voy**
boy

2 Go and take

Use the correct form of the verb in brackets.

1 **Quiero ____ a la estación. (ir)**

2 **Yo ____ el metro. (coger)**

3 **¿A dónde ____ usted? (ir)**

4 **Nosotros ____ al Museo del Prado. (ir)**

5 **Ellos ____ (coger) un taxi.**

6 **Yo ____ (ir) a Madrid.**

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

2 *taxi*

3 *car*

4 *bicycle*

3 You?

Use the correct form for **usted** or **tú** in each sentence.

1 *You are in a café. Ask "Do you have churros?"*

2 *You are with a friend. Ask "Do you want a beer?"*

3 *A visitor approaches you at your company's reception desk. Ask "Do you have an ppointment?"*

4 *You are on the bus. Ask "Do you go near the station?"*

5 *Ask your friend where she's going tomorrow.*

3 You?

1 **¿Tiene churros?**
tyenay choorros

2 **¿Quieres una cerveza?**
kyaires oonah thairbaythah

3 **¿Tiene una cita?**
tyenay oonah theetah

4 **¿Pasa cerca de la estación?**
pasah therkah day lah estathyon

5 **¿A dónde vas mañana?**
ah donday bas manyanah

4 Tickets

You're buying tickets at a train station. Follow the conversation, replying in Spanish following the numbered English prompts.

¿Qué desea?
1 *I'd like two tickets to Sevilla.*

¿De ida o de ida y vuelta?
2 *Round-trip, please.*

Muy bien. Cincuenta euros, por favor.
3 *What time does the train leave?*

A las tres y diez.
4 *What platform does the train leave from?*

Andén número siete.
5 *Thank you very much. Goodbye.*

4 Tickets

1 **Quisiera dos billetes para Sevilla.**
keesyairah dos beeyetes parah sebeeyah

2 **De ida y vuelta, por favor.**
day eedah ee bweltah, por fabor

3 **¿A qué hora sale el tren?**
ah kay orah salay el tren

4 **¿De qué andén sale el tren?**
day kay anden salay el tren

5 **Muchas gracias. Adiós.**
moochas grathyas. addy-os

1 Warm up

Ask "How do you get to the museum?" (pp.42–3)

Say "I want to take the metro" and "I don't want to take a taxi." (pp.40–1)

En la ciudad
Around town

Note that the Spanish word **museo** (*museum*) also means art gallery when it's a public building in which works of art are exhibited; **galería de arte** usually refers to a shop that sells works of art. Be careful, too, not to confuse **librería** (*bookshop* or *bookshelf*) and **biblioteca** (*library*).

2 Match and repeat

Match the numbered locations to the words in the panel.

1 **el ayuntamiento**
el ahyoonta-myaintoh

2 **el puente**
el pwentay

3 **el centro**
el thentroh

4 **la iglesia**
lah eegleseeah

5 **la plaza**
lah plathah

6 **el aparcamiento**
el aparka-myaintoh

7 **la biblioteca**
lah bibleeotekah

8 **el museo**
el moosayoh

1 *town hall*

2 *bridge*

church 4

downtown 3

5 *square*

7 *library*

3 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the cover flap.

la gasolinera lah gasoleenerah	*gas station*
la oficina de información turística lah ohfeetheenah day eenformathyon tooreesteekah	*tourist information*
la piscina municipal lah pistheenah mooneetheepal	*public swimming pool*

Conversational tip In Spanish there are two ways of saying "am," "is," or "are." You have already learned the verb "ser" (p.14): "soy inglés" (I am English); "es vegetariano" (he is vegetarian). When talking about where something is, you need to use a different verb: "estar." The most important forms of this verb are: "estoy" (I am), "está" (he/she/it is), and "están" (they are): "¿Dónde están lla iglesia?" (Where is the church?); "El café no está lejos." (The café isn't far.)

4 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

La catedral está en el centro.
lah katedral estah en el thentroh
The cathedral is downtown.

Is there an art gallery in town?	**¿Hay alguna museo de arte en la ciudad?** ah-ee algoonah moosayoh day artay en lah thyoodad
Is it far from here?	**¿Está lejos de aquí?** estah lehos day ahkee
There is a swimming pool near the bridge.	**Hay una piscina cerca del puente.** ah-ee oonah peestheenah therkah del pwentay

5 Put into practice

Join in this conversation. Read the Spanish on the left and follow the instructions to make your reply. Then test yourself.

¿Le puedo ayudar? lay pwedoh ahyoodar *Can I help you?* *Ask: Is there a library in town?*	**¿Hay alguna biblioteca en la ciudad?** ah-ee algoonah beeblyotekah en lah thyoodad
No, pero hay un museo. noh, peroh ah-ee oon moosayoh *No, but there's a museum.* *Ask: How do I get to the museum?*	**¿Cómo se va al museo?** komoh say bah al moosayoh
Está por allí. estah por ahyee *It's over there.* *Say: Thank you very much.*	**Muchas gracias.** moochas grathyas

❻ *parking lot*

❽ *museum*

1 Warm up

How do you say "near the station"? (pp.42–3)

Say "Take the first left." (pp.40–1)

Ask "Where are you going?" (pp.40–1)

Las direcciones
Directions

You'll often be able to find a **plano de la ciudad** (*town map*) in the downtown area, usually near the town hall or tourist office. In the older parts of Spanish towns there are often narrow streets, in which you will usually find a one-way system in operation. Parking is usually restricted.

2 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself.

Tuerza a la izquierda/derecha. twerthah ah lah eethkyairdah/derechah	*Turn left/right.*
Todo recto. todoh rrektoh	*Straight on.*
¿Cómo se va a la piscina? komoh say bah ah lah peestheenah	*How do I get to the swimming pool?*
la primera a la derecha lah preemerah ah lah derechah	*first right*
la segunda a la izquierda lah segoondah ah lah eethkyairdah	*second left*

el bloque de oficinas
el blokay day ohfeetheenas
office block

la fuente
lah fwentay
fountain

3 In conversation

¿Hay un restaurante en la cuidad?
ah-ee oon restaoorantay en la thyoodad

Is there a restaurant in town?

Sí, cerca de la estación.
see, therkah day lah estathyon

Yes, near the station.

¿Cómo se va a la estación?
komoh say bah ah lah estathyon

How do I get to the station?

4 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

Me he perdido.
may eh perdeedoh
I'm lost.

traffic lights	**el semáforo** el semaforoh
corner	**la esquina** lah eskeenah
street/road	**la calle** lah kayay
main road	**la calle principal** lah kayay preentheepal
at the end of the street	**al final de la calle** al feenal day lah kayay
map	**el plano** el planoh
overpass	**el paso elevado** el pasoh elebadoh
across from	**enfrente de** enfrentay day

el centro deportivo
el thentroh
deporteeboh
gym

la zona peatonal
lah thonah
pe-ahtonal
pedestrian zone

¿Dondé estamos?
donday estamos
Where are we?

5 Say it

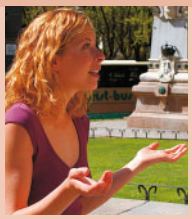
Turn right at the end of the street.

Turn left across from the museum.

It's ten minutes by bus.

Tuerza a la izquierda en el semáforo.
twerthah ah lah eethkyairdah en el semaforoh

Turn left at the traffic lights.



¿Está lejos?
estah lehos

Is it far?

No, cinco minutos andando.
noh, theenkoh meenootos andandoh

No, it's five minutes on foot.

1 Warm up

Say the days of the week in Spanish. (pp.28–9)

How do you say "six o'clock"? (pp.30–1)

Ask "What time is it?" (pp.30–1)

El turismo
Sightseeing

Most national museums and art galleries close on Mondays and public holidays. Although stores are normally closed on Sundays, many will open in tourist areas. It is not unusual for public buildings and shops to close at lunchtime, between 1:30 and 4:30 pm.

2 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

la guía lah gheeah	*guidebook*
la entrada lah entradah	*admission ticket*
el horario de apertura el oraryoh day apertoorah	*opening times*
el día festivo el deeyah festeevoh	*public holiday*
entrada libre entradah leebray	*free admission*

la visita con guía
lah beeseetah kon gheeah
guided tour

Cultural tip If a public holiday falls on a Thursday or a Tuesday, the Spanish will often "hacer puente" (do a bridge)—in other words, take Friday or Monday off to make a long weekend.

3 In conversation

¿Abren esta tarde?
ahbren estah tarday

Are you open this afternoon?

Sí, pero cerramos a las cuatro.
see, peroh therramos ah las kwatroh

Yes, but we close at four o'clock.

¿Tienen acceso para sillas de ruedas?
tyenen akthesoh parah seeyas day rwedas

Do you have access for wheelchairs?

4 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

What time do you open/close?

¿A qué hora abre/cierra?
ah kay orah
ahbray/thyairrah

Where are the restrooms?

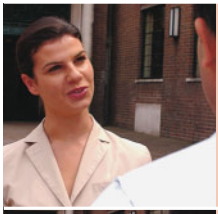
¿Dónde están los servicios?
donday estan los serbeethyos

Is there access for wheelchairs?

¿Hay acceso para sillas de ruedas?
ah-ee akthesoh parah seeyas day rwedas

5 Put into practice

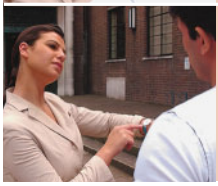
Cover the text on the right and complete the dialogue in Spanish.



Lo siento, el museo está cerrado.
loh syentoh, el moosayoh estah therradoh
Sorry. The museum is closed.

Ask: Are you open on Tuesdays?

¿Abren los martes?
ahbren los martes



Sí, pero cerramos temprano.
see, peroh therramos tempranoh
Yes, but we close early.

Ask: At what time?

¿A qué hora?
ah kay orah

Sí, el ascensor está allí.
see, el asthensor estah ah-yee

Yes, there's an elevator over there.

Gracias, quisiera cuatro entradas.
grathyas, keesyairah kwatroh entradas

Thank you, I'd like four admission tickets.

Aquí tiene, y la guía es gratis.
ahkee tyenay, ee lah gheeah es gratees

Here you are, and the guidebook is free.

1 Warm up

Say "one-thirty." (pp.30–1)

What's the Spanish for "ticket"? (pp.38–9)

Say "I am going to New York." (pp.40–1)

En el aeropuerto
At the airport

Although the airport environment is largely international, it is sometimes useful to be able to ask your way around the terminal in Spanish. It's a good idea to make sure you have a few coins when you arrive at the airport; you may need to pay for a luggage cart.

2 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

la facturación lah faktoorathyon	*check-in*
las salidas las saleedas	*departures*
las llegadas las yehgadas	*arrivals*
la aduana lah adwanah	*customs*
el control de pasaportes el kontrol day pasaportes	*passport control*
la terminal lah termeenal	*terminal*
la puerta de embarque lah pwertah day embarkay	*boarding gate*

¿Cuál es la puerta de embarque para el vuelo veintitrés?
kwal es lah pwertah day embarkay parah el bweloh bayeenteetres
What is the boarding gate for flight 23?

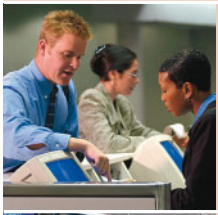
3 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

¿Sale a su hora el vuelo para Sevilla? salay ah soo orah el bweloh parah seveeyah	*Is the flight to Seville on time?*
No encuentro mi equipaje. noh enkwentroh mee ehkeepahay	*I can't find my luggage.*

4 Put into practice

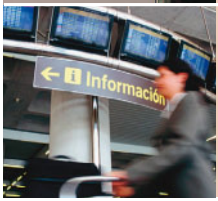
Join in this conversation. Read the Spanish on the left and follow the instructions to make your reply. Then test yourself by concealing the answers using the cover flap.



Hola, ¿le puedo ayudar?
o-lah, lay pwedoh ahyoodar
Hello, can I help you?

Ask: Is the flight to Madrid on time?

¿Sale a su hora el vuelo para Madrid?
salay ah soo orah el bweloh parah madreed



Sí señor.
see senyor
Yes sir.

Ask: What is the boarding gate?

¿Cuál es la puerta de embarque?
kwal es lah pwertah day embarkay

5 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items to the Spanish words in the panel.

1 **la tarjeta de embarque**
lah tarhetah day embarkay

2 **el mostrador de facturación**
el mostrador day faktoorathyon

3 **el billete**
el beeyehtay

4 **el pasaporte**
el pasaportay

5 **la maleta**
lah malaytah

6 **el equipaje de mano**
el ehkeepahay day manoh

7 **el carrito**
el karreetoh

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 Places

1 **el museo**
el moosayoh

2 **el ayuntamiento**
el ahyoonta-myaintoh

3 **el puente**
el pwentay

4 **la biblioteca**
lah beeblee-ohtekah

5 **el aparcamiento**
el ahparka-myaintoh

6 **la catedral**
lah katedral

7 **la plaza**
lah plathah

1 Places

Name the numbered places in Spanish.

1 *museum*

2 *town hall*

3 *bridge*

4 *library*

5 *parking lot*

6 *cathedral*

7 *square*

2 Car parts

1 **el parabrisas**
el parabreesas

2 **el intermitente**
el intairmee-taintay

3 **el capó**
el kapoh

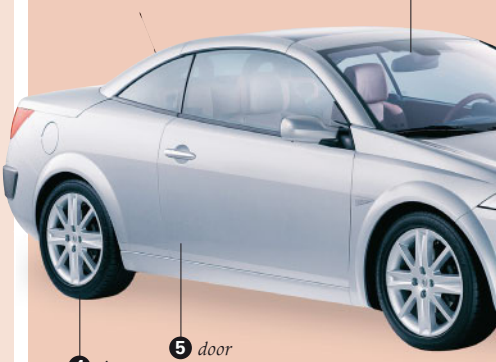
4 **el neumático**
el ne-oomateekoh

5 **la puerta**
lah pwertah

6 **el parachoques**
el parachokes

2 Car parts

Name these car parts in Spanish.


windshield 1
5 *door*
4 *tire*

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

3 Questions

Ask the questions that match these answers.

1 **El autobús sale a las ocho.**
el aootoboos salay ah las ochoh

2 **El café es un euro cincuenta.**
el kafay es oon eh-ooro theenkwentah

3 **No, no quiero vino.**
noh, noh kyairoh beenoh

4 **El tren sale del andén cinco.**
el tren salay del anden theenkoh

5 **Nosotros vamos a León.**
nosotros bamos ah leh-on

6 **El próximo tren es dentro de quince minutos.**
el prokseemoh tren es
dentroh day keenthay
meenootos

3 Questions

1 **¿A qué hora sale el autobús?**
ah kay orah salay el aootoboos

2 **¿Cuánto es el café?**
kwantoh es el kafay

3 **¿Quieres vino?**
kyaires beenoh

4 **¿De qué andén sale el tren?**
day kay anden salay el tren

5 **¿A dónde vais?**
ah donday baees

6 **¿Cuándo es el próximo tren?**
kwandoh es el prokseemoh tren

2 *turn signal*

3 *hood*

6 *bumper*

4 Verbs

Choose the correct form of the verb in brackets to fill in the blanks.

1 **Yo ____ inglés. (ser)**

2 **Nosotros ____ el metro. (tomar)**

3 **Ella ____ a Marbella. (ir)**

4 **Él ____ casado. (estar)**

5 **¿Tú ____ un té? (querer)**

6 **¿Cuántos niños ____ usted? (tener)**

4 Verbs

1 **soy**
soy

2 **cogemos**
kohaymos

3 **va**
bah

4 **está**
estah

5 **quieres**
kyaires

6 **tiene**
tyenay

1 Warm up

Ask "Do you accept credit cards?" (pp.38–9)

Ask "How much is that?" (pp.18–19)

Ask "Do you have children?" (pp.10–11)

Reservar una habitación
Booking a room

Types of accommodation in Spain include: **hotel**, categorized from one to five stars; **pensión**, a small family-run hotel; **hostal**, cheap and basic; and **parador**, state-owned hotels in historic properties or places of great beauty.

2 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself by concealing the Spanish on the left using the cover flap.

¿El desayuno está incluido? el desayoonoh estah inklooeedoh	*Is breakfast included?*	
¿Aceptan animales de compañía? atheptan aneemales day kompanyeeah	*Do you accept pets?*	
¿Tienen servicio de habitaciones? tyenen serbeethyoh day abeetathyones	*Do you have room service?*	
¿A qué hora tengo que dejar la habitación? ah kay orah tengoh kay dehar lah abeetathyon	*What time do I have to check out?*	

3 In conversation

¿Tiene habitaciones libres?
tyenay abeetathyones leebres

Do you have any vacancies?

Sí, una habitación doble.
see, oonah abeetathyon doblay

Yes, a double room.

¿Tiene una cuna?
tyenay oonah koonah

Do you have a crib?

4 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself by concealing the Spanish on the right using the cover flap.

¿Tiene la habitación vistas al parque?
tyenay lah abeetathyon beestas al parkay
Does the room have a view over the park?

room	**la habitación** lah abeetathyon
single room	**la habitación individual** lah abeetathyon indeebeedwal
double room	**la habitación doble** lah abeetathyon doblay
bathroom	**el cuarto de baño** el kwartoh day banyoh
shower	**la ducha** lah doochah
breakfast	**el desayuno** el desayoonoh
key	**la llave** lah yabay
balcony	**el balcón** el balkon
air-conditioning	**el aire acondicionado** el ah-eeray akondeethyonadoh

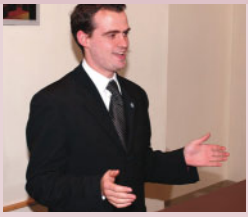
5 Say it

Do you have a single room, please?

For six nights.

Is breakfast included?

Cultural tip Large hotels and paradors are generally the only types of hotels to offer breakfast, but you will generally be charged extra. If your accommodation doesn't provide breakfast, you'll usually find it easy to discover a bar or a café nearby where you can go for "café con leche" in the mornings.



Sí, claro. ¿Cuántas noches?
see, klaroh. kwantas noches

Yes, of course. How many nights?

Para tres noches.
parah tres noches

For three nights.

Muy bien. Aquí tiene la llave.
mwee byen. ahkee tyenay lah yabay

Fine. Here's the key.

1 Warm up

Say "Is there...?" and "There isn't...". (pp.48–9)

What does "¿Le puedo ayudar?" mean? (pp.54–5)

En el hotel
In the hotel

Although rooms in larger hotels almost always have private bathrooms, there are still some **pensiones** and **hostales** where you will have to share bathroom facilities and in which towels are not supplied. It is always advisable to check what is provided when you make reservations.

2 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items in this hotel bedroom with the Spanish text in the panel and test yourself using the cover flap.

1 **la mesilla de noche**
lah meseeyah day nochay

2 **la lámpara**
lah lamparah

3 **el equipo de música**
el ekeepoh day mooseekah

4 **las cortinas**
las korteenas

5 **el sofá**
el sofah

6 **la almohada**
lah almoh-ahdah

7 **el cojín**
el koheen

8 **la cama**
lah kamah

9 **la colcha**
lah kolchah

10 **la manta**
lah mantah

Cultural tip When you arrive in your double room, you will usually see one long pillow instead of two individual ones on the bed. This is the usual pillow for a double bed ("cama de matrimonio" or marriage bed). If you don't want to share your bed or pillow, you'll have to ask for "una habitación doble con dos camas" (a double room with two beds) to get a twin room.

3 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

The room is too cold/hot.

Hace demasiado frío/calor en la habitación.
ahthay daymasyahdoh freeoh/kalor en lah abeetathyon

There are no towels.

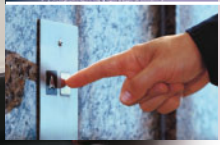
No hay toallas.
noh ah-ee toh-ahyas

I need some soap.

Necesito jabón.
netheseetoh habon

The shower doesn't work.

La ducha no funciona.
lah doochah noh foonthyonah



The elevator is broken.

El ascensor está roto.
el asthensor estah rrotoh

4 Put into practice

Practice these phrases and then complete the dialogue in Spanish.

¿Le atienden?
lay atyainden
Can I help you?

Say: I need some pillows.

Necesito almohadas.
netheseetoh almohahdas

La camarera se las llevará.
lah kamarairah say las yebarah
The maid will bring some.

Say: And the TV doesn't work.

Y la televisión no funciona.
ee lah telebeesyon noh foonthyonah

1 Warm up

How do you ask "Can I?" (pp.34–5)

Say "The elevator is broken." (pp.60–1)

Say "I need some towels". (pp.60–1)

En el cámping
At the campground

Camping is very popular in Spain. The country's numerous campgrounds are well organized and operate on a star system. The local tourist information office will be able to offer a list of campgrounds in the area with their ratings. It is advisable to book in advance during the summer months.

2 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself by concealing the Spanish with the cover flap.

¿Puedo alquilar una bicicleta? pwedoh alkeelar oonah beetheekletah	*Can I rent a bicycle?*
¿Es el agua potable? es el ahgwah potablay	*Is this drinking water?*
¿Se permiten hogueras? say permeeten ohgheras	*Are campfires allowed?*
Las radios están prohibidas. las rradyos estan proheebeedas	*Radios are forbidden.*

¿Dónde está el grifo?
donday estah el greefoh
Where is the faucet?

la oficina
lah ofeetheenah
office

el contenedor de la basura
el kontenedor day lah basoorah
trash can

el doble techo
el doblay taychoh
flysheet

3 In conversation

Necesito una plaza para tres noches.
netheseetoh oonah plathah parah tres noches

I need a site for three nights.

Hay una cerca de la piscina.
ah-ee oonah therkah day lah peestheenah

There's one near the swimming pool.

¿Cuánto cuesta para una roulotte?
kwantoh kwestah parah oonah rroolot

How much is it for a camper?

4 Words to remember

Learn these words and then test yourself using the cover flap.

campground	**el cámping** el kampeen
tent	**la tienda** lah tyendah
camper trailer	**la roulotte** lah rroolot
camper van	**la autocaravana** la ah-ootokarabanah
site	**la plaza** lah plathah
campfire	**la hoguera** lah ohgherah
drinking water	**el agua potable** el ahgwah potablay
garbage	**la basura** lah basoorah
stove fuel	**el camping-gas** el kampeen gas
showers	**las duchas** las doochas
sleeping bag	**el saco de dormir** el sakoh day dormeer
air mattress	**la colchoneta** lah kolchonetah
groundsheet	**el suelo aislante** el sweloh ah-eeslantay

5 Say it

I need a site for four nights.

Can I rent a tent?

Where's the electrical hookup?

Cincuenta euros. Una noche por adelantado.
theenkwentah eh-ooros. oonah nochay por adelantadoh

Fifty euros. One night in advance.

¿Puedo alquilar una barbacoa?
pwedoh alkeelar oonah barbakoh-ah

Can I rent a barbecue grill?

Sí, pero tiene que dejar una señal.
see, peroh tyenay kay dehar oonah senyal

Yes, but you must pay a deposit.

1 Warm up

How do you say "hot" and "cold"? (pp.60–1)

What is the Spanish for "room," "bed," and "pillow"? (pp.60–1)

Descripciones
Descriptions

Adjectives are words used to describe things. In Spanish you generally put the adjective after the thing it describes in the same gender and number: **una bebida fría** (*a cold drink*, feminine singular); **un café frío** (*a cold coffee*, masculine singular); **dos bebidas frías** (*two cold drinks*, feminine plural).

2 Words to remember

Adjectives change depending on whether the thing described is masculine (**el**) or feminine (**la**). Generally, a final "o" changes to "a" in the feminine, but if the adjective ends with "e" (such as **grande**) it doesn't change for the feminine. For the plural, just add an "s."

duro/dura dooroh/doorah	*hard*
blando/blanda blandoh/blandah	*soft*
caliente kalyaintay	*hot*
frío/fría freeoh/freeah	*cold*
grande granday	*big*
pequeño/pequeña pekenyoh/pekenyah	*small*
bonito/bonita boneetoh/boneetah	*beautiful*
feo/fea feh-oh/feh-ah	*ugly*
ruidoso/ruidosa rrweedosoh/ rrweedosah	*noisy*
tranquilo/tranquila trankeeloh/trankeelah	*quiet*
bueno/buena bwenoh/bwenah	*good*
malo/mala maloh/malah	*bad*
lento/lenta lentoh/lentah	*slow*
rápido/rápida rrapeedoh/rrapeedah	*fast*

El pueblo es muy bonito.
el pwebloh es mwee boneetoh
The village is very beautiful.

3 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases. Note that you can emphasize a description by using **muy** (*very*), **demasiado** (*too*), or **más** (*more*) before the adjective.

This coffee is cold.

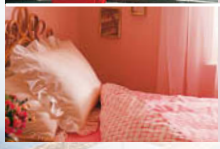
Este café está frío.
estay kafay estah free-oh

My room is very noisy.

Mi habitación es muy ruidosa.
mee abeetathyon es mwee rrweedosah

My car is too small.

Mi coche es demasiado pequeño.
mee koche es demasyahdoh pekenyoh



I need a softer bed.

Necesito una cama más blanda.
netheseetoh oonah kamah mas blandah

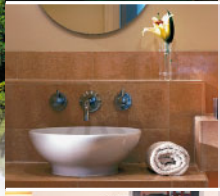
4 Put into practice

Join in this conversation. Cover up the text on the right and complete the dialogue in Spanish. Check and repeat if necessary.

Ésta es la habitación.
estah es lah abeetathyon
This is the bedroom.

Say: The view is very beautiful.

La vista es muy bonita.
lah beestah es mwee boneetah



El cuarto de baño está por ahí.
el kwartoh day banyoh estah por ah-ee
The bathroom is over there.

Say: It is too small.

Es demasiado pequeño.
es demasyahdoh pekenyoh

No tenemos otra.
noh tenaymos otrah
We don't have another one.

Say: It doesn't matter. We'll take the room.

No importa. Nos quedamos con la habitación.
noh importah. nos kedamos kon lah abeetathyon

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 Descriptions

1 **caliente**
kalyaintay

2 **pequeña**
pekenyah

3 **frío**
free-oh

4 **grande**
granday

5 **tranquila**
trankeelah

1 Descriptions

Put the word in brackets into Spanish. Use the correct masculine or feminine form.

1 **El agua está demasiado ____ (hot).**

2 **La cama es muy ____ (small).**

3 **El café está ____ (cold).**

4 **Este cuarto de baño es más ____ (big).**

5 **Quisiera una habitación más ____ (quiet).**

2 Campground

1 **el punto de luz**
el poontoh day looth

2 **la tienda**
lah tyaindah

3 **el contenedor de la basura**
el kontenedor day lah basoorah

4 **la cuerda**
lah kwerdah

5 **los aseos**
los asayos

6 **la roulotte**
lah rroolot

2 Campground

Name these items you might find in a campground.

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

3 At the hotel

You are booking a room in a hotel. Follow the conversation, replying in Spanish where you can see the English prompts.

¿Qué desean?
1 *Do you have any vacancies?*

Sí, una habitación doble.
2 *Do you accept pets.*

Sí. ¿Cuántas noches?
3 *Three nights.*

Son ciento cuarenta euros.
4 *Is breakfast included?*

Sí. Aquí tiene la llave.
5 *Thank you very much.*

3 At the hotel

1 **¿Tiene habitaciones libres?**
tyenay abeeta-thyones leebres

2 **¿Aceptan animales de compañía?**
atheptan aneemales day kompanyeeah

3 **Tres noches.**
tres noches

4 **¿El desayuno está incluido?**
el desayoonoh estah inklooeedoh

5 **Muchas gracias.**
moochas grathyas

4 Negatives

Make these sentences negative using the verb in brackets.

1 **Yo ____ hijos. (tener)**

2 **Ellos ____ a Madrid mañana. (ir)**

3 **Él ____ un café. (querer)**

4 **Yo ____ el metro. (coger)**

5 **La vista ____ muy bonita. (ser)**

4 Negatives

1 **no tengo**
noh tengoh

2 **no van**
noh ban

3 **no quiere**
noh kyairay

4 **no cojo**
noh kohoh

5 **no es**
no es

1 Warm up

Ask "How do I get to the station?" (pp.50–1)

Say "Turn left at the traffic lights" and "The station is across from the café." (pp.50–1)

De compras
Shopping

Small, traditional shops are still very common in Spain. But you can also find big supermarkets and shopping centers on the outskirts of cities. Local markets selling fresh, local produce can be found everywhere. Ask which day is market day at the **oficina de información turística** (*tourist office*).

2 Match and repeat

Match the stores numbered 1 to 9 below and right to the Spanish in the panel. Then test yourself using the cover flap.

1 **la panadería**
lah panadaireeah

2 **la pastelería**
lah pastaylaireeah

3 **el estanco**
el estankoh

4 **la carnicería**
lah karnee-thaireeah

5 **la charcutería**
lah charkoo-taireeah

6 **la librería**
lah leebraireeah

7 **la pescadería**
lah peskadaireeah

8 **la joyería**
lah hoyereeah

9 **el banco**
el bankoh

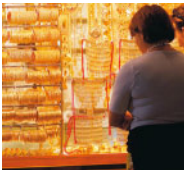
❶ *bread shop*

❷ *bakery*

❹ *butcher*

❺ *delicatessen*

❼ *fishmonger*



❽ *jeweler*

Cultural tip If you want an everyday bar of soap or a tube of toothpaste, you need to go to a "droguería" (drugstore) rather than the "farmacia" (pharmacy). The "estanco" (tobacconist) is the place for all sorts of tobacco products and stamps. "Papelerías" cater for all your stationery needs. Most Spanish shops offer a free gift-wrapping service; you only need to ask: "¿Me lo envuelve para regalo?" (May I have it gift-wrapped?).

3 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

¿Dónde está la floristería?
donday estah lah floreestaireeah
Where is the florist?

hardware store	**la ferretería** lah ferretaireeah
antique shop	**el anticuario** el anteekwareeoh
hairdresser	**la peluquería** lah pelookaireeah
greengrocer	**la verdulería** lah berdoolaireeah
post office	**la oficina de correos** lah ofeetheenah day korrayos
shoe store	**la zapatería** lah thapataireeah
dry-cleaner	**la tintorería** lah teentoraireeah
grocery	**el ultramarinos** el ooltramareenos

❸ *tobacconist*

❻ *bookstore*

❾ *bank*

4 Useful phrases

Familiarize yourself with these phrases.

Where is the hairdresser?	**¿Dónde está la peluquería?** donday estah lah pelookaireeah
Where do I pay?	**¿Dónde se paga?** donday say pagah
I'm just looking, thank you.	**Sólo estoy mirando, gracias.** soloh estoy meerandoh grathyas
Do you sell phone cards?	**¿Tiene tarjetas telefónicas?** tyenay tarhetas telefoneekas
May I have two of those?	**¿Me pone dos de éstos?** may ponay dos day estos
Can I place an order?	**¿Puedo hacer un pedido?** pwedoh ahther oon pedeedoh

5 Say it

Where is the bank?

Do you sell cheese?

Where do I pay?

1 Warm up

What is Spanish for 40, 56, 77, 82, and 94? (pp.10–11 and pp.30–1)

Say "I'd like a big room." (pp.64–5)

Ask "Do you have a small car?" (pp.64–5)

En el mercado
At the market

Spain uses the metric system of weights and measures, so you will need to ask for produce in kilograms or grams. Some larger items, such as melons or pineapples, tend to be sold by **la pieza** (as single items); other items, such as lettuce, may be sold in twos or threes.

2 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items in this scene with the text in the panel.

1 **los tomates**
los tomates

2 **las judías**
las hoodeeas

3 **los champiñones**
los champeenyones

4 **las uvas**
las oobas

5 **los pepinos**
los pepeenos

6 **las alcachofas**
las alkachofas

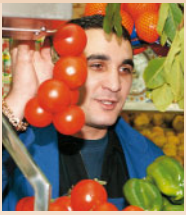
7 **los guisantes**
los gheesantes

8 **los pimientos**
los peemyaintos

3 In conversation

Quisiera tomates.
keesyairah tomates

I'd like some tomatoes.



¿De los grandes o de los pequeños?
day los grandes oh day los pekenyos

The large ones or the small ones?

Dos kilos de los pequeños, por favor.
dos keelos day los pekenyos, por fabor

Two kilos of the small ones, please.

Cultural tip Spain uses the common European currency, the euro, which is divided into 100 "centimos." Spanish-speaking countries in Central and South America all have their own currencies. Argentina, Chile, Uruguay, Colombia, and Mexico all call their currency the peso, which is divided into 100 "centavos."

5 Say it

Two kilos of peas, please.

The mushrooms are too expensive.

How much are the grapes?

4 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases. Then cover up the answers on the right. Read the English under the pictures and say the phrase in Spanish as shown on the right.

Esa salchicha es demasiado cara.
ehsah salcheechah es demasyahdoh karah

That sausage is too expensive.

¿A cuánto está esa?
ah kwantoh estah ehsa

How much is that one?

Eso es todo.
ehsoh es todoh

That's all.

¿Algo más, señorita?
algoh mas, senyoreetah

Anything else, miss?

Eso es todo, gracias. ¿Cuánto es?
ehsoh es todoh, grathyas. kwantoh es

That's all, thank you. How much?

Tres cincuenta.
tres theenkwentah

Three-fifty.

1 Warm up

What are these items you could buy in a supermarket? (pp.24–5)

la carne
el pescado
el queso
el zumo
el vino
el agua

En el supermercado
At the supermarket

Prices in supermarkets are usually lower than in smaller shops. They offer all kinds of products, with larger out-of-town **hipermercados** carrying clothes, household goods, lawn furniture, and home improvement products.

2 Match and repeat

Look at the numbered product categories and match them to the Spanish words in the panel on the left.

1 **los productos del hogar**
los prodooktos del ohgar

2 **la fruta**
lah frootah

3 **las bebidas**
las bebeedas

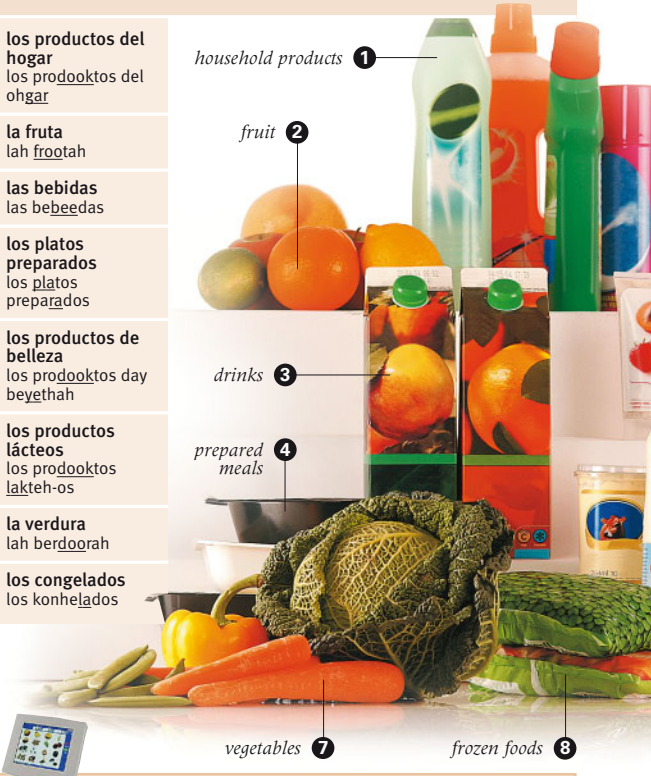
4 **los platos preparados**
los platos preparados

5 **los productos de belleza**
los prodooktos day beyethah

6 **los productos lácteos**
los prodooktos lakteh-os

7 **la verdura**
lah berdoorah

8 **los congelados**
los konhelados



Cultural tip It is not usually possible to take unweighed fruit and vegetables sold by the kilo directly to the supermarket checkout. There is usually a separate counter or a self-service weighing machine.

3 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

May I have a bag, please?

¿Me da una bolsa, por favor?
may dah oonah bolsah, por fabor

Where are the drinks?

¿Dónde están las bebidas?
donday estan las bebeedas

Where is the check-out, please?

¿Dónde está la caja, por favor?
donday estah lah kahah, por fabor

Please type in your PIN.

Por favor, meta su PIN.
por fabor, metah soo peen

4 Words to remember

Learn these words and then test yourself using the cover flap.

bread	**el pan** el pan
milk	**la leche** lah lechay
butter	**la mantequilla** lah mantekeeyah
ham	**el jamón** el hamon
salt	**la sal** lah sal
pepper	**la pimienta** lah peemyaintah
laundry detergent	**el jabón de lavadora** el habon day labadorah
toilet paper	**el papel higiénico** el papel eehyaineekoh
diapers	**los pañales** los panyales

5 Say it

Where are the dairy products?

May I have some cheese, please?

Where are the frozen foods?

1 Warm up

Say "I'd like...". (pp.22–3)

Ask "Do you have...?" (pp.14–15)

Say "38," "42," and "46." (pp.10–11 and pp.30–1)

Say "big," "small," "bigger," and "smaller." (pp.64–5)

La ropa y los zapatos
Clothes and shoes

Clothes and shoes are measured in metric sizes from 36 upward. Even allowing for conversion of sizes, Spanish clothes tend to be cut smaller than American ones. Clothes size is **la talla** but shoe size is **el número**.

2 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items of clothing to the Spanish words in the panel on the left. Test yourself using the cover flap.

1 **la camisa**
lah kameesah

2 **la corbata**
lah korbatah

3 **la chaqueta**
lah chaketah

4 **el bolsillo**
el bolseeyoh

5 **la manga**
lah mangah

6 **el pantalón**
el pantalon

7 **la falda**
lah faldah

8 **las medias**
las medyas

9 **los zapatos**
los thapatos

Cultural tip As in most of mainland Europe, Spain uses the continental system of sizes. Women's clothes sizes usually range from 36 (US 6) through to 46 (US 18), and shoe sizes from 37 (US 5½) to 45 (US 12). For men's shirts, a size 41 is a 16-inch collar, 43 is a 17-inch collar, and 45 is an 18-inch collar.

3 Useful phrases

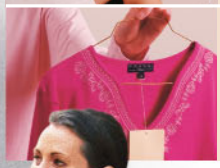
Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

Do you have a larger size?

¿Tiene una talla más grande?
tyenay oonah tayah mas granday

It's not what I want.

No es lo que quiero.
noh es loh kay kyairoh



I'll take the pink one.

Me quedo con el rosa.
may kedoh kon el rrosah

4 Words to remember

Colors are adjectives (pp.64–5) and in most cases have a masculine and a feminine form. The feminine is usually formed by substituting an "a" for the final "o."

red	**rojo/roja** rrohoh/rrohah
white	**blanco/blanca** blankoh/blankah
blue	**azul** athool
yellow	**amarillo/amarilla** amareeyoh/amareeyah
green	**verde** berday
black	**negro/negra** negroh/negrah

5 Say it

What shoe size?

Do you have a black jacket?

Do you have a size 38?

Do you have a smaller size?

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 Market

1 **las alcachofas**
las alkachofas

2 **los tomates**
los tomates

3 **los guisantes**
los gheesantes

4 **los pimientos**
los peemyaintos

5 **las judías**
las hoodeeas

1 Market

Name the numbered vegetables in Spanish.

2 Description

1 *The shoes are too expensive.*

2 *My room is very small.*

3 *I need a softer bed.*

2 Description

What do these sentences mean?

1 **Los zapatos son demasiados caros.**

2 **Mi habitación es muy pequeña.**

3 **Necesito una cama más blanda.**

3 Stores

1 **la panadería**
lah panadaireeah

2 **la joyería**
lah hoyehreeah

3 **la librería**
lah leebraireeah

4 **la pescadería**
lah peskadaireeah

5 **la pastelería**
lah pastaylaireeah

6 **la carnicería**
lah karneethaireeah

3 Stores

Name the numbered shops in Spanish. Then check your answers.

1 *bread shop*

2 *jeweler*

3 *bookstore*

4 *fishmonger*

5 *bakery*

6 *butcher*

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

4 Supermarket

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1 **los productos del hogar**
los prodooktos del ohgar

2 **los productos de belleza**
los prodooktos day beyethah

3 **las bebidas**
las bebeedas

4 **los productos lácteos**
los prodooktos lakteh-os

5 **la verdura**
lah berdoorah

5 Museum

Follow this conversation, replying in Spanish following the English prompts.

Buenos días. ¿Qué desean?
1 *I'd like five tickets.*

Son setenta y cinco euros.
2 *That's very expensive!*

No hacemos descuentos a los niños.
3 *How much is a guide?*

Quince euros.
4 *Good. And five tickets, please.*

Noventa euros, por favor.
5 *Here you are. Where are the restrooms?*

A la derecha.
6 *Thank you very much.*

5 Museum

1 **Quisiera cinco entradas.**
keesyairah theenkoh entradas

2 **¡Es muy caro!**
es mwee karoh

3 **¿Cuánto cuesta una guía?**
kwantoh kwestah oonah gheeah

4 **Bien. Y cinco entradas, por favor.**
Byen. ee theenkoh entradas, por fabor

5 **Aquí tiene. ¿Dónde están los servicios?**
ahkee tyenay. donday estan los serbeethyos

6 **Muchas gracias.**
moochas grathyas

1 Warm up

Say "from which platform?" (pp.38–9)

What is the Spanish for the following family members: sister, brother, mother, father, son, and daughter? (pp.10–11)

Las ocupaciones
Jobs

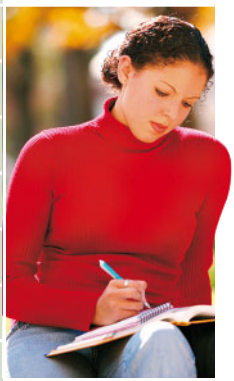
Some occupations have commonly used feminine alternatives—for example, **enfermero** (*male nurse*) and **enfermera** (*female nurse*). Others remain the same. When you describe your occupation, you don't use **un/una** (*a*), saying simply **soy abogado** (*I'm a lawyer*), for example.

2 Words to remember: jobs

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap. The feminine alternative is shown in brackets.

médico medeekoh	*doctor*
dentista denteestah	*dentist*
enfermero/-a enfermairoh/-ah	*nurse*
profesor/-sora profaysor/-sorah	*teacher*
abogado/-a abogadoh/-ah	*lawyer*
contable kontablay	*accountant*
diseñador/-dora deesenyador/-dorah	*designer*
consultor/-a konsooltor/-ah	*consultant*
secretario/-a sekraytareeoh(-ah)	*secretary*
comerciante komerthyantay	*shopkeeper*
electricista elektreetheestah	*electrician*
fontanero/-a fontanairoh/-ah	*plumber*
cocinero/-a kotheenairoh/-ah	*cook/chef*
albañil albanyeel	*handyman*
autónomo/-a aootohnomoh/-ah	*self-employed*

Soy fontanero.
soy fontanairoh
I'm a plumber.



Es estudiante.
es estoodyantay
She is a student.

3 Put into practice

Join in this conversation. Read the Spanish on the left and follow the instructions to make your reply. Then test yourself.

¿Cuál es su profesión?
kwal es soo profesyon
What do you do?

Say: I am a consultant.

Soy consultor.
soy konsooltor

¿Para qué empresa trabaja?
parah kay empresah trabahah
What company do you work for?

Say: I'm self-employed.

Soy autónomo.
soy aootohnomoh

¡Qué interesante!
kay intairaysantay
How interesting!

Say: And what is your profession?

¿Y cuál es su profesión?
ee kwal es soo profesyon

Soy dentista.
soy denteestah
I'm a dentist.

Say: My sister is a dentist, too.

Mi hermana es dentista también.
mee airrmanah es denteestah tambyen

4 Words to remember: workplace

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself.

La oficina central está en Madrid.
lah ofeetheenah thentral estah en madreed
Headquarters is in Madrid.

branch	**la sucursal** lah sookoorsal
department	**el departamento** el departamaintoh
manager	**el jefe** el hefay
employee	**el empleado** el emplay-ahdoh
reception	**la recepción** lah rrethepthyon
trainee	**el aprendiz** el ahprendeeth

1 Warm up

Practice different ways of introducing yourself in different situations (pp.8–9). Mention your name, occupation (pp.78–9), and any other information you'd like to volunteer.

La oficina
The office

An office environment or business situation has its own vocabulary in any language, but there are many items that are virtually universal. Be aware that Spanish computer keyboards have a different layout from the standard "QWERTY" convention; they also include **ñ**, vowels with accents, **¡**, and **¿**.

2 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words. Read them aloud several times and try to memorize them. Conceal the Spanish with the cover flap and test yourself.

el monitor el moneetor	*monitor*
el ratón el rraton	*mouse*
el correo electrónico el korrayoh elektroneekoh	*email*
el internet el eenternet	*Internet*
la contraseña lah kontrasenyah	*password*
la mensajería de voz lah mensahereeah day both	*voicemail*
el fax el fax	*fax machine*
la fotocopiadora lah fotokopyadorah	*photocopier*
la agenda lah ah-hendah	*planner*
la tarjeta de visita lah tarhetah day beeseetah	*business card*
la reunión lah reh-oonyon	*meeting*
la conferencia lah konfairentheeah	*conference*
el orden del día el orden del deeah	*agenda*

3 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

I need to make some photocopies.

Necesito hacer unas fotocopias.
nethes<u>ee</u>toh ah<u>th</u>er oonas foto<u>k</u>opyas

I'd like to arrange an appointment.

Quisiera organizar una cita.
kees<u>y</u>airah organee<u>th</u>ar oonah <u>th</u>eetah

I want to send an email.

Quiero mandar un correo electrónico.
<u>ky</u>airoh man<u>d</u>ar oon kor<u>r</u>ayoh elek<u>tr</u>oneekoh

4 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items to the Spanish words on the left.

1 **la lámpara**
lah l<u>a</u>mparah

2 **la grapadora**
lah grapa<u>d</u>ohrah

3 **el teléfono**
el te<u>l</u>efonoh

4 **la pantalla**
lah pan<u>t</u>ayah

5 **el teclado**
el te<u>kl</u>adoh

6 **el ordenador**
el ordena<u>d</u>or

7 **la mesa de escritorio**
lah <u>m</u>esah day eskree<u>t</u>oryoh

8 **el reloj**
el rre<u>l</u>okh

9 **la impresora**
lah impre<u>s</u>orah

10 **el bolígrafo**
el bo<u>l</u>eegrafoh

11 **el bloc**
el blok

12 **el cajón**
el ka<u>h</u>on

13 **la silla giratoria**
lah <u>s</u>eeyah heera<u>t</u>oreeah

5 Say it

I'd like to arrange a conference.

I need to send a fax.

Do you have email?

1 Warm up

Say "library" and "How interesting!" (pp.48–9, pp.78–9)

Ask "What is your profession?" and answer "I'm an engineer." (pp.78–9)

El mundo académico
Academic world

In Spain students are selected for a bachelor's degree (**una licenciatura**) by an average of secondary school grades and an exam. After graduation some students go on to **un máster** (master's degree) or **un doctorado** (PhD).

2 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

¿Cuál es su especialidad? kwal es soo espetheeahleedad	*What is your field?*	
Hago investigación en bioquímica. ahgoh inbesteegathyon en beeohkeemeekah	*I am doing research in biochemistry.*	
Soy licenciado en derecho. soy leethentheeahdoh en derechoh	*I have a degree in law.*	
Voy a dar una conferencia sobre arquitectura. boy ah dar oonah konfairayntheeah sobreh arkeetektoorah	*I'm going to give a lecture on architecture.*	

3 In conversation

Hola, soy la profesora Fernández.
o-lah, soy lah profaysorah fernandeth

Hello, I'm Professor Fernandez.

¿De qué universidad es usted?
deh keh ooneeberseedad es oosted

What university are you from?

De la Universidad de Murcia.
deh lah ooneeberseedad deh moortheeah

From the University of Murcia.

4 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and then test yourself.

Tenemos un stand en la feria.
tenemos oon estand en la fereeah
We have a stand at the trade fair.

conference/lecture	**la conferencia** lah konfairaintheeah
trade fair	**la feria** lah fereeah
seminar	**el seminario** el semeenaryoh
lecture hall	**el anfiteatro** el anfeetay-ahtroh
conference room	**la sala de conferencias** lah sahlah deh konferaintheeas
exhibition	**la exposición** lah eksposeethyon
library	**la biblioteca** lah bibleeoteкah
assistant professor	**el profesor de universidad** el profaysor deh ooneeberseedad
professor	**el catedrático** el katedrateekoh
medicine	**medicina** medeetheenah
science	**ciencias** thyaintheeas
literature	**literatura** leetairatoorah
engineering	**ingeniería** inhainyaireeah

5 Say it

I'm doing research in medicine.

I have a degree in literature.

She's the professor.

¿Cuál es su especialidad?
kwal es soo espethyaleedad

What's your field?

Hago investigación en ingeniería.
ahgoh inbesteegathyon en inhenyaireeah

I'm doing research in engineering.

¡Qué interesante! Yo también.
keh intairaysantay. yoh tambeeayn

How interesting! I am, too.

1 Warm up

Ask "Can I ...?" (pp.34–5)

Say "I want to send an email." (pp.80–1)

Say "I'd like to arrange an appointment." (pp.80–1)

Los negocios
In business

You will receive a more friendly reception and make a good impression if you make the effort to begin a meeting with a short introduction in Spanish, even if your vocabulary is limited. After that, all parties will probably be happy to continue the proceedings in English.

2 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and then test yourself by covering the Spanish with the flap.

el programa el programah	*schedule*
la entrega lah entraygah	*delivery*
el pago el pahgoh	*payment*
el presupuesto el praysoopwestoh	*budget/estimate*
el precio el praythyoh	*price*
el documento el dokoomentoh	*document*
la factura lah faktoorah	*invoice*
la propuesta lah propwestah	*proposal*
los beneficios los baynayfeethyos	*profits*
las ventas las bentas	*sales*
los números los noomeros	*figures*

Cultural tip A long lunch with wine is still a regular feature of doing business in Spain. As a visiting client you can expect to be taken out to a restaurant, and as a supplier you should consider entertaining your business customers.

3 Useful phrases

Practice these useful business phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

¿Firmamos el contrato?
feermamos el kontratoh
Shall we sign the contract?

el ejecutivo
el eh-hekooteeboh
executive

el contrato
el kontratoh
contract

Me manda el contrato, por favor.
may mandah el kontratoh, por fabor

Please send me the contract.

¿Hemos acordado un programa?
ehmos akordadoh oon programah

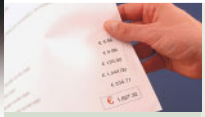
Have we agreed on a schedule?

¿Cuándo puede hacer la entrega?
kwandoh pweday ahther lah entregah

When can you make the delivery?

¿Cuál es el presupuesto?
kwal es el praysoopwestoh

What's the budget?



¿Me puede mandar la factura?
may pweday mandar lah faktoorah

Can you send me the invoice?

4 Say it

Can you send me the estimate?

Have we agreed on a price?

What are the profits?

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 At the office

1 **la grapadora**
lah grapa<u>do</u>rah

2 **la lámpara**
lah <u>lam</u>parah

3 **el ordenador**
el ordena<u>dor</u>

4 **el bolígrafo**
el bo<u>lee</u>grafoh

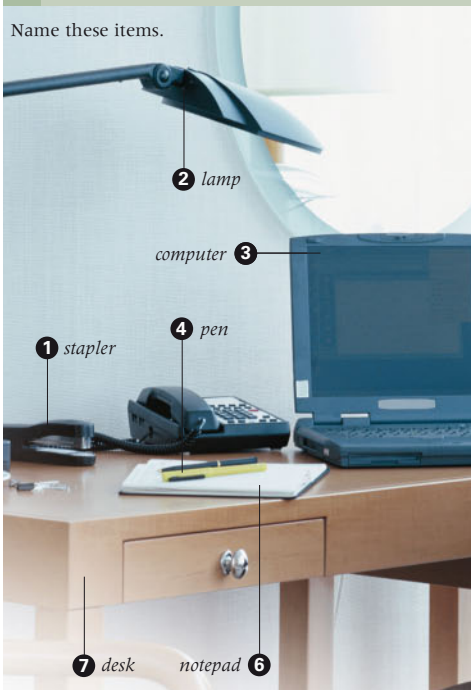
5 **el reloj**
el rre<u>lokh</u>

6 **el bloc**
el blok

7 **la mesa de escritorio**
lah <u>me</u>sah day
eskree<u>to</u>ryoh

1 At the office

Name these items.



2 Jobs

1 **médico**
<u>me</u>deekoh

2 **fontanero(-a)**
fonta<u>nai</u>roh(-ah)

3 **comerciante**
komer<u>thyan</u>tay

4 **contable**
kon<u>ta</u>blay

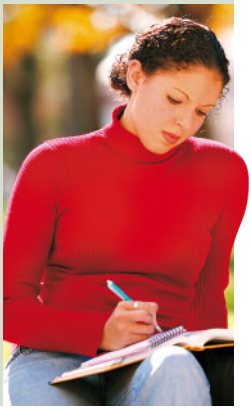
5 **estudiante**
estoo<u>dyan</u>tay

6 **abogado(-a)**
abo<u>ga</u>doh(-ah)

2 Jobs

What are these jobs in Spanish?

1 *doctor*
2 *plumber*
3 *shopkeeper*
4 *accountant*
5 *student*
6 *lawyer*



Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

3 Work

Answer these questions following the English prompts.

¿Para qué empresa trabaja?
1 *Say: I am self-employed.*

¿En qué universidad está?
2 *Say: I'm at the University of Salamanca.*

¿Cuál es su especialidad?
3 *Say: I'm doing research in medicine.*

¿Hemos acordado un programa?
4 *Say: Yes, my secretary has the schedule.*

3 Work

1 **Soy autónomo.**
soy aootonomoh

2 **Estoy en la Universidad de Salamanca.**
estoy en lah ooneeberseedad day salamankah

3 **Hago investigación en medicina.**
ahgoh inbesteegathyon en medeetheenah

4 **Sí. mi secretaria tiene el programa.**
see. mee sekretareeah tyenay el programah

4 How much?

Answer the question with the amount shown in brackets.

1 **¿Cuánto cuesta el desayuno? (¤ 3.50)**

2 **¿Cuánto cuesta la habitación? (¤ 47)**

3 **¿Cuánto cuesta un kilo de tomates? (¤ 3.25)**

4 **¿Cuánto cuesta un plaza para cuatro noches? (¤ 60)**

4 How much?

1 **Son tres euros cincuenta.**
son tres eh-ooros theenkwentah

2 **Son cuarenta y siete euros.**
son kwarentah ee seeaytay eh-ooros

3 **Son tres euros veinticinco.**
son tres eh-ooros beynteetheenkoh

4 **Son sesenta euros.**
son sesentah eh-ooros

1 Warm up

Say "I'm allergic to nuts." (pp.24–5)

Say the verb "tener" (to have) in all its forms: yo, tú, él/ella, nosotros(-as), vosotros(-as), ellos (-as). (pp.14–15)

En la farmacia
At the pharmacy

Spanish pharmacists are qualified to give advice and sell over-the-counter medicines, as well as dispensing prescription medicines. There is generally a **farmacia de guardia** (duty pharmacy) to provide 24-hour service in every town—a list is displayed in every pharmacy.

2 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items to the Spanish words in the panel on the left and test yourself using the cover flap.

1 **la venda**
lah bendah

2 **el jarabe**
el harabay

3 **las gotas**
las gotas

4 **la tirita**
lah teereetah

5 **la jeringuilla**
lah hereenghee yah

6 **la crema**
lah kremah

7 **el supositorio**
el sooposeetoryoh

8 **la pastilla**
lah pasteeyah

3 In conversation

Buenos días, señor. ¿Qué desea?
bwenos deeyas, senyor. kay desayah

Good morning, sir. What would you like?

Tengo dolor de estómago.
tengoh dolor day estomagoh

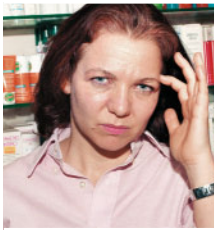
I have a stomachache.

¿Tiene diarrea?
tyenay deeahrrayah

Do you have diarrhea?

4 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.



Tengo dolor de cabeza.
tengoh dolor day kabethah
I have a headache.

headache	**el dolor de cabeza** el dolor day kabethah
stomachache	**el dolor de estómago** el dolor day estomagoh
diarrhea	**la diarrea** lah deeahrrayah
cold	**el resfriado** el rresfreeahdoh
cough	**la tos** lah tos
sunburn	**la insolación** lah eensolatheeyon
toothache	**el dolor de muelas** el dolor day mwelas

6 Say it

I have a cold.

Do you have that as a cream?

He has a toothache.

5 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

I have a sunburn.	**Tengo una insolación.** tengoh oonah eensolatheeyon
Do you have that as a syrup?	**¿Lo tiene en jarabe?** loh tyenay en harabay
I'm allergic to penicillin.	**Soy alérgico a la penicilina.** soy alerheekoh ah lah peneetheeleenah

No, pero tengo dolor de cabeza.
noh, peroh tengoh dolor day kabethah

No, but I have a headache.

Aquí tiene.
ahkee tyenay

Here you are.

¿Lo tiene en pastilla?
loh tyenay en pasteeyah

Do you have this as pills?

1 Warm up

Say " I have a toothache" and "I have a sunburn." (pp.88–9)

Say the Spanish for "red," "green," "black," and "yellow." (pp.74–5)

El cuerpo
The body

You are most likely to need to refer to parts of the body in the context of illness—for example, when describing aches and pains to a doctor. The most common phrases for talking about discomfort are **Tengo un dolor en la/el...** (*I have a pain in the…*) and **Me duele la/el...** (*My … hurts me*).

2 Match and repeat: body

Match the numbered parts of the body with the list on the left. Test yourself by using the cover flap.

1 **la mano**
lah manoh

2 **la cabeza**
lah kabethah

3 **el hombro**
el ombroh

4 **el codo**
el kodoh

5 **el pelo**
el peloh

6 **el brazo**
el brathoh

7 **el cuello**
el kweyoh

8 **el pecho**
el pechoh

9 **el estómago**
el estomagoh

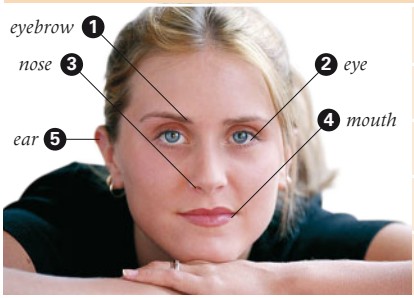
10 **la pierna**
lah pyairnah

11 **la rodilla**
lah rrodeeyah

12 **el pie**
el pee-ay

3 Match and repeat: face

Match the numbered facial features with the list on the right.



1 **la ceja**
lah thayah

2 **el ojo**
el oh-hoh

3 **la nariz**
lah nareeth

4 **la boca**
lah bokah

5 **la oreja**
lah ohrayah

4 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

I have a pain in my back.

Tengo un dolor en la espalda.
tengoh oon dolor en lah espalda

I have a rash on my arm.

Tengo un sarpullido en el brazo.
tengoh oon sarpooyeedoh en el brathoh

I don't feel well.

No me encuentro bien.
noh may enkwentroh byen

5 Put into practice

Join in this conversation and test yourself using the cover flap.

¿Cuál es el problema?
kwal es el problemah
What's the problem?

Say: I don't feel well.

No me encuentro bien.
noh may enkwentroh byen

¿Dónde le duele?
donday lay dwelay
Where does it hurt?

Say: I have a pain in my shoulder.

Tengo un dolor en el hombro.
tengoh oon dolor en el ombroh

1 Warm up

Say "I need some tablets." (pp.60–1, pp.88–9)

Say "He needs some cream." (pp.88–9)

What is the Spanish for "I don't have a son"? (pp.10–15)

En el médico
At the doctor

Unless it's an emergency, you have to make an appointment with the doctor and pay when you leave. You may be able to reclaim the money if you have medical insurance. Your hotel, a local pharmacy, or a tourist information office may be able to tell you the names and addresses of local doctors.

2 Useful phrases you may hear

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap to conceal the Spanish on the left.

No es grave. noh es gravay	*It's not serious.*
Necesita hacerse unas pruebas. netheseetah ahthersay oonas prwaybas	*You need to have some tests.*
Tiene una infección de riñón. tyenay oonah infekthyon day rreenyon	*You have a kidney infection.*
Necesita ir al hospital. netheseetah eer al ospeetal	*You need to go to the hospital.*

Le voy a dar una receta.
lay boy ah dar oonah rrethetah
I'm going to give you a prescription.

3 In conversation

¿Cuál es el problema?
kwal es el problemah

What's the problem?

Tengo un dolor en el pecho.
tengoh oon dolor en el pechoh

I have a pain in my chest.

Déjeme que la examine.
dayhaymay kay lah eksameenay

Let me examine you.

Cultural tip Before you go to Spain, find out if your health insurance covers emergency medical care in Europe; if it doesn't, purchase a travel medical insurance policy. For an ambulance, call 112.

4 Useful phrases you may need to say

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

Estoy embarazada.
estoy embarathadah
I am pregnant.

I am diabetic.	**Soy diabético/-a.** soy deeahbeteekoh/-ah
I am epileptic.	**Soy epiléptico/-a.** soy epeelepteekoh/-ah
I have asthma.	**Soy asmático/-a.** soy asmateekoh/-ah
I have a heart condition.	**Tengo un problema de corazón.** tengoh oon problemah day korathon
I have a temperature.	**Tengo fiebre.** tengoh fyaybray
I feel faint.	**Estoy mareado.** estoy maray-ahdoh
It's urgent.	**Es urgente.** es oorhentay

5 Say it

My son is diabetic.

I have a pain in my arm.

It's not urgent.

¿Es grave?
es gravay

Is it serious?

No, sólo tiene indigestión.
noh, soloh tyenay indeehestyon

No, you only have indigestion.

¡Menos mal!
maynos mal

What a relief!

1 Warm up

Say "How long is the trip?" (pp.42–3)

Ask "Is is serious?" (pp.92–3)

What is the Spanish for "mouth" and "head"? (pp.90–1)

En el hospital
At the hospital

It is useful to know a few basic phrases relating to hospitals and medical treatment for use in an emergency, or in case you need to visit a friend or colleague in the hospital. Most Spanish hospitals have only two beds per room with their own private bathroom facilities.

2 Useful phrases

Familiarize yourself with these phrases. Conceal the Spanish with the cover flap and test yourself.

¿Cuáles son las horas de visita? kwales son las oras day beeseetah	*What are the visiting hours?*
¿Cuánto tiempo va a tardar? kwantoh tyempoh bah ah tardar	*How long will it take?*
¿Va a doler? bah ah doler	*Will it hurt?*
Túmbese aquí por favor. toombesay ahkee por fabor	*Please lie down here.*
No puede comer nada. noh pweday komer nadah	*You cannot eat anything.*
No mueva la cabeza. noh mwebah lah kabethah	*Don't move your head.*
Abra la boca por favor. ahbrah lah bokah por fabor	*Please open your mouth.*
Necesita un análisis de sangre. netheseetah oon analeesees day sangray	*You need a blood test.*

el gotero
el goteroh
drip

¿Se encuentra mejor?
say enkwentrah mehor
Are you feeling better?

¿Dónde está la sala de espera?
donday estah lah salah day esperah
Where is the waiting room?

3 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

Su radiografía es normal.
soo rradyografeeah es normal
Your X-ray is normal.

emergency room	**el servicio de urgencias** el serbeethyoh day oorhentheeas
X-ray department	**el servicio de radiología** el serbeethyoh day rradyoloheeah
children's ward	**la sala de pediatría** lah salah day pedeeatreeah
operating room	**el quirófano** el keerofanoh
waiting room	**la sala de espera** lah salah day esperah
stairs	**las escaleras** las eskaleras

4 Put into practice

Join in this conversation. Cover up the text on the right and complete the anwering part of the dialogue in Spanish. Check your answers and repeat if necessary.

Tiene una infección.
tyenay oonah infekthyon
You have an infection.

Ask: Do I need tests?

¿Necesito hacerme pruebas?
netheseetoh ahthermay prwaybas

Primero necesita un análisis de sangre.
preemeroh netheseetah oon analeesees day sangray
First you will need a blood test.

Ask: Will it hurt?

¿Me va a doler?
may bah ah doler

5 Say it

Does he need a blood test?

Where is the children's ward?

Do I need an X-ray?

No, no se preocupe.
noh, noh say pray-okoopay
No. Don't worry.

Ask: How long will it take?

¿Cuánto tiempo va a tardar?
kwantoh tyempoh bah ah tardar

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 The body

1 **la cabeza**
lah kabethah

2 **el brazo**
el brathoh

3 **el pecho**
el pechoh

4 **el estómago**
el estomagoh

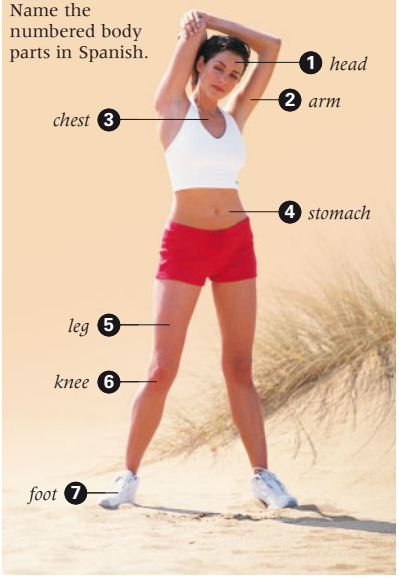
5 **la pierna**
lah pyairnah

6 **la rodilla**
lah rrodeeyah

7 **el pie**
el pee-ay

1 The body

Name the numbered body parts in Spanish.



2 On the phone

1 **Quisiera hablar con Ana Flores.**
keesyairah hablar kon anna flores

2 **Luis Cortés de Don Frío.**
looees kortes day don free-oh

3 **¿Puedo dejar un mensaje?**
pwedoh dehar oon mensahay

4 **La cita el lunes a las once está bien.**
lah theetah el loones ah las onthay estah byen

5 **Gracias, adiós.**
grathyas, addy-os

2 On the phone

You are arranging an appointment. Follow the conversation, replying in Spanish following the English prompts.

Dígame, Apex Finanzas.
1 *I'd like to speak to Ana Flores.*

¿De parte de quién?
2 *Luis Cortés, of Don Frío.*

Lo siento, está comunicando.
3 *Can I leave a message?*

Sí, dígame.
4 *The appointment on Monday at 11 am is fine.*

Muy bien, adiós.
5 *Thank you, goodbye.*

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

3 Clothing

Say the Spanish words for the numbered items of clothing.

3 Clothing

1 **la corbata**
lah korbatah

2 **la chaqueta**
lah chaketah

3 **el pantalón**
el pantalon

4 **la falda**
lah faldah

5 **los zapatos**
los thapatos

6 **las medias**
las medeeas

4 At the doctor's

Say these phrases in Spanish.

1 *I don't feel well.*

2 *I have a heart condition.*

3 *Do I need to go to the hospital?*

4 *I'm pregnant.*

4 At the doctor's

1 **No me encuentro bien.**
noh may enkwentroh byen

2 **Tengo un problema de corazón.**
tengoh oon problemah day korathon

3 **¿Necesito ir al hospital?**
netheseetoh eer al ospeetal

4 **Estoy embarazada.**
estoy embarathadah

1 Warm up

Say the months of the year in Spanish. (pp.28–9)

Ask "Is there a parking lot?" and "Are there restrooms?" (pp.48–9 and pp.62-3)

En casa
At home

Many city-dwellers live in apartment blocks (**edificios**), but in rural areas the houses tend to be single-family (**chalet**). If you want to know how big it is, you will need to ask in square meters. If you want to know how many bedrooms there are, ask **¿Cuántos dormitorios hay?**.

2 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items to the list and test yourself using the flap.

1 **la chimenea**
lah cheemenayah

2 **la ventana**
lah bentanah

3 **el tejado**
el tehadoh

4 **la terraza**
lah terratha

5 **la persiana**
lah perseeanah

6 **el muro**
el mooroh

7 **la puerta**
lah pwertah

8 **el garaje**
el garahay

Cultural tip You almost never see a Spanish home without shutters at every window. These are closed at night and often during the heat of the day in summer. Curtains, where they exist at all, tend to be more for decoration. Carpets are not popular in Spanish homes; ceramic tiles or parquet floors with rugs are a more common flooring solution.

3 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

¿Cuánto es el alquiler al mes?
kwantoh es el alkeeler al mes
What is the rent per month?

room	**la habitación** lah abeetathyon
floor	**el suelo** el sweloh
ceiling	**el techo** el techoh
bedroom	**el dormitorio** el dormeetoreeoh
bathroom	**el cuarto de baño** el kwartoh day banyoh
kitchen	**la cocina** lah kotheenah
dining room	**el comedor** el komedor
living room	**el cuarto de estar** el kwartoh day estar
basement	**el sótano** el sotahnoh
attic	**el ático** el ahteekoh

4 Useful phrases

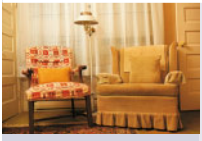
Practice these phrases and test yourself.

Is there a garage?

¿Hay un garaje?
ah-ee oon garahay

When is it available?

¿Cuándo está disponible?
kwandoh estah deesponeeblay



Is it furnished?

¿Está amueblado?
estah amwebladoh

5 Say it

Is there a dining room?

Is it large?

Is it available in July?

1 Warm up

What is the Spanish for table, chair, toilet(s), and curtains? (pp.20–1, pp.80–1, pp.52–3, pp.60–1)

Say "beautiful," "soft," and "big." (pp.64–5)

En la casa
Inside the house

If you're renting a vacation house or villa in Spain, the most common option is to take it for a full month or, if not, for a **quincena**, the first or last fifteen days of the month. You will need to check in advance whether the cost of utilities is included in the rent. Most vacation homes have no telephone.

2 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items to the list in the panel on the left. Then test yourself by concealing the Spanish with the cover flap.

1 **la encimera**
lah entheemerah

2 **el fregadero**
el fregaderoh

3 **el microondas**
el meekro-ondas

4 **el horno**
el ornoh

5 **la cocina**
lah kotheenah

6 **el frigorífico**
el freegoreefeekoh

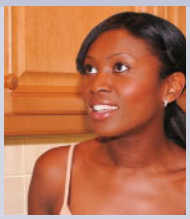
7 **la mesa**
lah mesah

8 **la silla**
lah seeyah

3 In conversation

Este es el horno.
estay es el ornoh

This is the oven.



¿Hay también un lavavajillas?
ah-ee tambyen oon lababaheeyas

Is there a dishwasher as well?

Sí, y hay un congelador grande.
see, ee ah-ee oon konhelador granday

Yes, and there's a big freezer.

4 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

El sofá es nuevo.
el sofah es nweboh
The sofa is new.

wardrobe	**el armario** el armaryoh
sofa	**el sofá** el sofah
fireplace	**la chimenea** lah cheemenayah
carpet	**la moqueta** lah moketah
bathtub	**la bañera** lah banyerah
toilet	**el váter** el bater
bathroom sink	**el lavabo** el lababoh

5 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself.

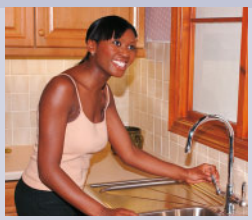
The stove is broken.	**La cocina no funciona.** lah kotheenah noh foonthyonah
I don't like the curtains.	**No me gustan las cortinas.** noh may goostan las korteenas
Is electricity is included?	**¿Está incluida la electricidad?** estah eenklooeedah lah ehektreetheedad

6 Say it

Is there a microwave?

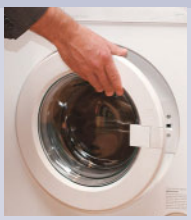
I like the fireplace.

What a soft sofa!



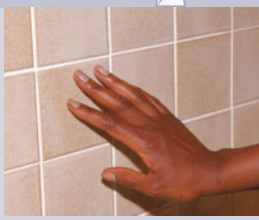
Todo está muy nuevo.
todoh estah mwee nweboh

Everything is very new.



Y aquí está la lavadora.
ee ahkee estah lah labadorah

And here's the washing machine.



¡Qué azulejos más bonitos!
kay ah-thoolayhos mas boneetos

What beautiful tiles!

1 Warm up

Say "I need" and "you need." (pp.64–5, pp.92–4)

What is the Spanish for "day" and "month"? (pp.28–9)

Say the days of the week. (pp.28–9)

El jardín
The backyard

The yard of a house or villa may be communal, or at least partly shared. Check with the realtor or rental agent carefully to find out. In some cases, a charge for maintenance of the yard may be included with the rent of an apartment or house. Check such details with the agent.

2 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

la máquina cortacésped lah makeenah kortathesped	*lawnmower*
la horca lah orkah	*fork*
la pala lah palah	*spade*
el rastrillo el rrastreeyoh	*rake*
el vivero el beeberoh	*garden center*

3 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

The gardener comes once a week.

El jardinero viene una vez a la semana.
el hardeenairoh byainay oonah beth ah lah semanah

Can you mow the lawn?

¿Puede cortar el césped?
pweday kortar el thesped

Is the yard private?

¿Es el jardín privado?
es el hardeen preebadoh

The garden needs watering.

El jardín necesita que lo rieguen.
el hardeen netheseetah kay loh rreeayghen

4 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items to the words in the panel on the right.

1 **la terraza**
lah terrathah

2 **el árbol**
el arbol

3 **la tierra**
lah tyairrah

4 **el césped**
el thesped

5 **el seto**
el setoh

6 **las plantas**
las plantas

7 **las flores**
las flores

8 **las malas hierbas**
las malas yerbas

9 **el camino**
el kameenoh

10 **el parterre**
el partairray

5 Say it

The lawn needs water.

Are there any trees?

The gardener comes on Fridays.

1 Warm up

Say "My name is ...". (pp.8–9)

Say "Don't worry." (pp.94–5)

What is "your" in Spanish? (pp.12–13)

Los animales de compañía

Pets

Many Spanish families have pets—dogs are especially popular—and veterinary services are generally good. Ask your vet about the necessary paperwork if you are considering traveling to Spain with your pet.

2 Match and repeat

Match the numbered animals to the Spanish words in the panel on the left. Then test yourself using the cover flap.

1 **el gato**
el gatoh

2 **el conejo**
el konehoh

3 **el pájaro**
el paharoh

4 **el pez**
el peth

5 **el perro**
el perroh

6 **el hámster**
el hamster

3 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

¿Es bueno el perro? es bwenoh el perroh	*Is this dog friendly?*
¿Puedo llevar el perro? pwedoh yebar el perroh	*Can I bring my dog?*
Me dan miedo los gatos. may dan myaydoh los gatos	*I'm afraid of cats.*
Mi perro no muerde. mee perroh noh mweday	*My dog doesn't bite.*

Este gato está lleno de pulgas.
estay gatoh estah yenoh day poolgas
This cat is full of fleas.

Cultural tip Many dogs in Spain are working or guard dogs, and you may encounter them tethered or roaming free. Approach farms and rural houses with particular care. Look out for warning notices such as "¡Cuidado con el perro!" (Beware of the dog).

4 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

Mi perro no está bien.
mee perroh noh estah byen
My dog is not well.

basket	**la cesta** lah thestah
cage	**la jaula** lah haoolah
bowl	**el bol** el bol
collar	**el collar** el koyar
leash	**la correa** lah korray-ah
vet	**el veterinario** el betereenaryoh
vaccination	**la vacuna** lah bakoonah
pet passport	**el pasaporte de animales** el pasaportay day aneemales
flea spray	**el spray antipulgas** el espraee anteepoolgas

5 Put into practice

Join in this conversation. Read the Spanish on the left and follow the instructions to make your reply. Then test yourself by concealing the answers with the cover flap.

¿Es suyo este perro?
es sooyoh estay perroh
Is this your dog?

Say: Yes, his name is Sandy.

Sí, se llama Sandy.
see, say yamah Sandy

Me dan miedo los perros.
may dan myaydoh los perros
I'm afraid of dogs.

Say: Don't worry. He's friendly.

No se preocupe. Es bueno.
noh say prayohkoopay. es bwenoh

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 Colors

1 **negra**
negrah

2 **pequeños**
pekenyos

3 **rojo**
rrohoh

4 **verde**
berday

5 **amarillos**
amareeyos

1 Colors

Complete the sentences with the Spanish word for the color in brackets. Watch out for masculine and feminine.

1 **Quisiera la camisa ____. (black)**

2 **Estos zapatos son muy ____. (small)**

3 **¿Tiene este traje en ____ ? (red)**

4 **No, pero lo tengo en ____. (green)**

5 **Quiero los zapatos ____. (yellow)**

2 Kitchen

1 **la cocina**
lah kotheenah

2 **el frigorífico**
el freegoreefeekoh

3 **el fregadero**
el fregaderoh

4 **el microondas**
el meekro-ondas

5 **el horno**
el ornoh

6 **la silla**
lah seeyah

7 **la mesa**
lah mesah

2 Kitchen

Say the Spanish words for the numbered items.

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

3 House

You are visiting a house in Spain. Join in the conversation, asking questions in Spanish following the English prompts.

Éste es el cuarto de estar.
1 *What a lovely fireplace.*

Sí, y tiene una cocina muy grande.
2 *How many bedrooms are there?*

Hay tres dormitorios.
3 *Do you have a garage?*

Sí, pero no hay un jardín.
4 *When is it available?*

En julio.
5 *What is the rent per month?*

3 House

1 **¡Qué chimenea más bonita!**
kay cheemenayah mas boneetah

2 **¿Cuántos dormitorios hay?**
kwantos dormeetoreeos ah-ee

3 **¿Tiene garaje?**
tyenay garahay

4 **¿Cuándo está disponible?**
kwandoh estah deesponeeblay

5 **¿Cuánto es el alquiler al mes?**
kwantoh es el alkeeler al mes

4 At home

Say the Spanish for the following items.

1 *washing machine*
2 *sofa*
3 *attic*
4 *dining room*
5 *tree*
6 *garden*

4 At home

1 **la lavadora**
lah labadorah

2 **el sofá**
el sofah

3 **el ático**
el ahteekoh

4 **el comedor**
el komedor

5 **el árbol**
el arbol

6 **el jardín**
el hardeen

1 Warm up

Ask "How do I get to the bank?" and "How do I get to the post office?" (pp.50–1)

What's the Spanish for "passport"? (pp.54–5)

How do you ask "What time is the meeting?" (pp.30–1)

El banco y la oficina de correos
Bank and post office

Banks and post offices usually open only until lunchtime (approximately 2 pm) and are generally closed on weekends. **Cajas de ahorros** (savings banks) have different hours. In the summer, opening times may be shorter.

2 Words to remember: mail

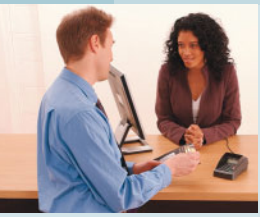
Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the cover flap to conceal the Spanish on the left.

los sellos los seyos	*stamps*
la postal lah postal	*postcard*
el paquete el paketay	*package*
por avión por abyon	*by air mail*
el correo certificado el korrayoh therteefeekadoh	*registered mail*
el buzón el boothon	*mailbox*
el código postal el kodeegoh postal	*postal (ZIP) code*
el cartero el kartairoh	*mail carrier*

¿Cuánto es para el Reino Unido?
kwantoh es parah el rrayeenoh ooneedoh
How much is it to the United Kingdom?

el sobre
el sobray
envelope

3 In conversation



Quisiera sacar dinero.
keesyairah sakar deeneroh

I'd like to withdraw some money.

¿Tiene identificación?
tyenay eedenteefeekathyon

Do you have any ID?

Sí, aquí tiene mi pasaporte.
see, ahkee tyenay mee pasaportay

Yes, here's my passport.

4 Words to remember: bank

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap to cover the Spanish on the right.

PIN	**el pin** el peen
bank	**el banco** el bankoh
teller	**el cajero** el kaheroh
ATM	**el cajero automático** el kaheroh aootomateekoh
notes (bills)	**los billetes** los beeyetes
traveler's checks	**los cheques de viaje** los chekes day beeahay

¿Cómo puedo pagar?
komoh pwedoh pagar
How can I pay?

5 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

6 Say it

I'd like to change some traveler's checks.

Do I need my passport?

How much is it for a postcard.

I'd like to change some money.	**Quisiera cambiar dinero.** keesyairah kambyar deeneroh
What is the exchange rate?	**¿A cuánto está el cambio?** ah kwantoh estah el kambyoh
I'd like to withdraw some money.	**Quisiera sacar dinero.** keesyairah sakar deeneroh

Meta su pin, por favor.
metah soo peen, por fabor

Please type in your PIN.

¿Tengo que firmar también?
tengoh kay feermar tambyen

Do I have to sign, too?

No, no hace falta.
noh, noh ahthay faltah

No, that's not necessary.

1 Warm up

What is the Spanish for "doesn't work"? (pp.60–1)

What's the Spanish for "today" and "tomorrow"? (pp.28–9)

Los servicios
Services

You can combine the Spanish words on these pages with the vocabulary you learned in week 10 to help you explain basic problems and cope with arranging most repairs. When negotiating building work or a repair, it's a good idea to agree on the price and method of payment in advance.

2 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

el fontanero el fontanairoh	*plumber*
el electricista el ehlektreetheestah	*electrician*
el mecánico el mekaneekoh	*mechanic*
el albañil el albanyeel	*handyman*
la asistenta lah aseestentah	*cleaner*
el pintor el peentor	*decorator*
el carpintero el karpeenteroh	*carpenter*
el técnico el tekneekoh	*technician*

la llave de tuercas
lah yabay day twerkas
tire iron

No necesito un mecánico.
noh nethseetoh oon mekaneekoh
I don't need a mechanic.

3 In conversation

La lavadora no funciona.
lah labadorah noh foothyonah

The washing machine's not working.

Sí, la manguera está rota.
see, lah mangherah estah rrotah

Yes, the hose is broken.

¿La puede arreglar?
lah pweday arreglar

Can you repair it?

4 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

Can you clean the bathroom?

¿Puede limpiar el cuarto de baño?
pweday leempyar el kwartoh day banyoh

Can you repair the boiler?

¿Puede arreglar la caldera?
pweday arreglar lah kalderah

¿Dónde me pueden arreglar la plancha?
donday may pweden arreglar lah planchah
Where can I get the iron repaired?

Do you know a good electrician?

¿Conoce a un buen electricista?
konothay ah oon bwen ehlektreetheestah

5 Put into practice

Practice these phrases. Cover up the text on the right and complete the dialogue in Spanish. Check your answers and repeat if necessary.

los planos
los planos
plans

Su verja está rota.
soo berhah estah rrotah
Your gate is broken.

Ask: Do you know a good handyman?

¿Conoce a un buen albañil?
konothay ah oon bwen albanyeel

Empiezo el trabajo mañana.
empyaythoh el trabahoh manyanah
I start the job tomorrow.

Sí, hay uno en el pueblo.
see, ah-ee oonoh en el pwebloh
Yes, there is one in the village.

Ask: Do you have his phone number?

¿Tiene su número de teléfono?
tyenay soo noomeroh day telefonoh

No, va a necesitar una nueva.
noh, bah ah netheseetar oonah nwebah

No, you'll need a new one.

¿Lo puede hacer hoy?
loh pweday ahther oy

Can you do it today?

No, volveré mañana.
noh, bolberay manyanah

No. I'll come back tomorrow.

1 Warm up

Say the days of the week in Spanish. (pp.28–9)

How do you say "cleaner"? (pp.110–11)

Say "It's 9:30," "10:45," "12:00." (pp.30–1)

Venir
To come

The verb **venir** (*to come*) is one of the most useful verbs. As well as the main verb (see below) it is worth knowing the command **¡ven!/¡venga!** (come here! informal/formal). Note that *with me* becomes **conmigo** and *with you* **contigo**: **ven conmigo** (*come with me*); **vengo contigo** (*I'm going with you*).

2 Venir: to come

Say the different forms of the verb aloud, reading from the table. Use the cover flaps to test yourself and, when you are confident, practice the sample sentences listed below.

yo vengo yoh bengoh	*I come*
tú vienes/usted viene too byenes/oosted byenay	*you come (informal/formal singular)*
él/ella viene el/eh-yah byenay	*he/she comes*
nosotros(-as) venimos nosotros(-as) beneemos	*we come*
vosotros(-as) venís bosotros(-as) benees	*you come (informal plural)*
ustedes vienen oostedes byenen	*you come (formal plural)*
ellos/ellas vienen eh-yos/eh-yas byenen	*they come*

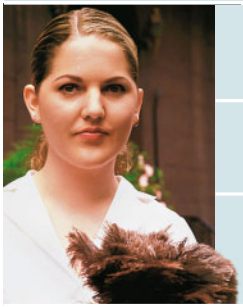
Vengo ahora. bengoh ah-orah	*I'm coming now.*
Venimos todos los martes. beneemos todos los martes	*We come every Tuesday.*
Vienen en tren. byenen en tren	*They come by train.*

Vienen en muchos colores.
beeaynen en moochos kolores
They come in many colors.

Conversational tip To say "I come from the US" in Spanish, you have to use the verb "to be," as in "soy estadounidense" (I am from the US). When you use the verb "to come," as in "Vengo de Nueva York," it means you have just arrived from New York.

3 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.



When can I come?
¿Cuándo puedo venir?
kwandoh pwedoh beneer

Does it come in size 44?
¿Viene en la talla 44?
byenay en lah tayah kwarentah ee kwatroh

The cleaner comes every Monday.
La asistenta viene todos los lunes.
lah aseestentah byenay todos los loones

¿Puede venir el viernes?
pweday beneer el byairnes
Can you come on Friday?

Come with me. (informal/formal)
Ven conmigo/ Venga conmigo.
ben konmeegoh/ bengah konmeegoh

4 Put into practice

Practice these phrases. Then cover up the text on the right and say the anwering part of the dialogue in Spanish. Check your answers and repeat if necessary.

Peluquería Cristina, dígame.
pelookereeah kristeenah, deegamay
Christine's hair salon. Can I help you?

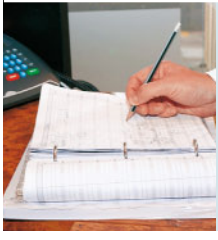
Say: I'd like an appointment.

Quisiera una cita.
keesyairah oonah theetah

¿Cuándo quiere venir?
kwandoh kyairay beneer
When do you want to come?

Say: Today, if possible.

Hoy, si es posible.
oy, see es poseeblay



Sí, claro. ¿A qué hora?
see klaroh, ah kay orah
Yes, of course. What time?

Say: At 10:30.

A las diez y media.
ah las dyeth ee medeeah

1 Warm up

What's the Spanish for "big" and "small"? (pp.64–5)

Say "The room is big" and "The bed is small." (pp.64–5)

La policía y el delito
Police and crime

While in Spain, if you are the victim of a crime, you should go to the police station to report it, or in an emergency you can dial 112. You may have to explain your complaint in Spanish, so some basic vocabulary is useful.

2 Words to remember: crime

Familiarize yourself with these words.

el robo el rroboh	*robbery*
la denuncia lah denoontheeah	*police report*
el ladrón el ladron	*thief*
la policía lah poleetheeah	*police*
la declaración lah deklarathyon	*statement*
el testigo el testeegoh	*witness*
el abogado el abogadoh	*lawyer*

Necesito un abogado.
netheseetoh oon abogadoh
I need a lawyer.

3 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself.

Me han robado. may an rrobadoh	*I've been robbed.*
¿Qué han robado? kay an rrobadoh	*What was stolen?*
¿Vió quién lo hizo? byoh kyain loh eethoh	*Did you see who did it?*
¿Cuándo ocurrió? kwandoh okoorryoh	*When did it happen?*

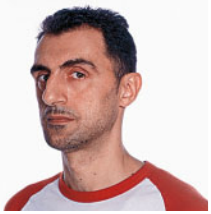
la cámara de fotos
lah kamarah day fotos
camera

la cartera
la karterah
wallet

4 Words to remember: appearance

Learn these words. Remember, some adjectives have a feminine form.

Él es bajo y tiene bigote.
el es bahoh ee tyenay beegotay
He is short and has a mustache.



Tiene el pelo negro y corto.
tyenay el peloh negroh ee kortoh
He has short, black hair.

man	**el hombre** el ombray
woman	**la mujer** lah moo-hair
tall	**alto/alta** altoh/altah
short	**bajo/baja** bahoh/bahah
young	**joven** hoben
old	**viejo/vieja** byayhoh/byayhah
fat	**gordo/gorda** gordoh/gordah
thin	**delgado/delgada** delgadoh/delgadah
long/short hair	**el pelo largo/corto** el peloh largoh/kortoh
glasses	**las gafas** las gafas
beard	**la barba** la barbah

Cultural tip In Spain there is a difference between la guardia civil and la policía. La policía are the local police while la guardia civil operates in airports and patrols the national road system. The police uniforms are blue and those of the guardia civil are green.

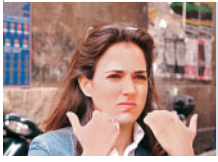
5 Put into practice

Practice these phrases. Then cover up the text on the right and follow the instructions to make your reply in Spanish.

¿Cómo era?
komoh ehrah
What did he look like?

Say: Short and fat.

Bajo y gordo.
bahoh ee gordoh



¿Y el pelo?
ee el peloh
And his hair?

Say: Long, with a beard.

Largo y con barba.
largoh ee kon barbah

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 To come

1 **vienen**
byenen

2 **viene**
byenay

3 **venimos**
beneemos

4 **venís**
benees

5 **vengo**
bengoh

1 To come

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of **venir** (*to come*).

1 **Mis padres ____ a las cuatro.**

2 **La asistenta ____ una vez a la semana.**

3 **Nosotros ____ todos los martes.**

4 **¿ ____ vosotros con nosotros?**

5 **Yo ____ en taxi.**

2 Bank and mail

1 **los billetes**
los beeyetes

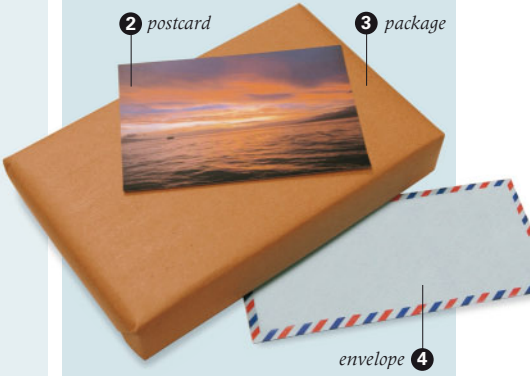
2 **la postal**
lah postal

3 **el paquete**
el paketay

4 **el sobre**
el sobray

2 Bank and mail

Name these items.



Respuestas
Answers
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3 Appearance

What do these descriptions mean?

1 **Es un hombre alto y delgado.**

2 **Ella tiene el pelo corto y gafas.**

3 **Soy baja y tengo el pelo largo.**

4 **Ella es vieja y gorda.**

5 **Él tiene los ojos azules y barba.**

3 Appearance

1 *He's a tall, thin man.*

2 *She has short hair and glasses.*

3 *I'm short and I have long hair.*

4 *She's old and fat.*

5 *He has blue eyes and a beard.*

4 The pharmacy

You are asking a pharmacist for advice. Join in the conversation, replying in Spanish following the English prompts.

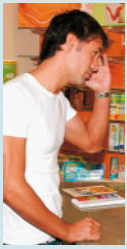
Buenos días, ¿qué desea?
1 *I have a cough.*

¿Le duele el pecho?
2 *No, but I have a headache.*

Tiene estas pastillas.
3 *Do you have that as a syrup?*

Sí señor. Aquí tiene.
4 *Thank you. How much is that?*

Cuatro euros.
5 *Here you are. Goodbye.*



4 The pharmacy

1 **Tengo tos.**
tengoh tos

2 **No, pero me duele la cabeza.**
noh, peroh may dwelay lah kabethah

3 **¿Lo tiene en jarabe?**
loh tyenay en harabay

4 **Gracias. ¿Cuánto es?**
grathyas. kwantoh es

5 **Aquí tiene. Adiós.**
ahkee tyenay. addy-os

1 Warm up

What is the Spanish for "museum" and "art gallery"? (pp.48–9)

Say "I don't like the curtains". (pp.100–1)

Ask "Do you want...?" informally. (pp.22–3)

El ocio
Leisure time

The Spanish pride themselves on their lively nightlife and support for the arts, including theatre and film. It is not unusual for Spaniards to number politics or philosophy among their interests. Be prepared for these topics to be the subject of conversation in social situations.

Me encanta el baile.
me enkantah el baeelay
I love dancing.

2 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the cover flap to conceal the Spanish on the left.

el teatro el te-ahtroh	*theatre*
el cine el theenay	*cinema*
la discoteca lah deeskotekah	*discotheque*
el deporte el deportay	*sport*
el turismo el tooreesmoh	*sightseeing*
la política la poleeteekah	*politics*
la música lah mooseekah	*music*
el arte el artay	*art*

3 In conversation

Hola. ¿Quieres jugar al tenis hoy?
o-lah. kyaires hoogar al tenis oy

Hi, do you want to play tennis today?

No, no me gusta el deporte.
noh, noh may goostah el deportay

No, I don't like sport.

Y entonces, ¿qué te gusta?
ee entonthes, kay tay goostah

So then, what do you like?

4 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

los video-juegos
los beedayoh-hwegos
video games

la bailadora
lah baeela-dorah
dancer

el traje típico
el trahay teepeekoh
traditional costume

What are your (formal/informal) interests?	**¿Cuáles son sus/tus intereses?** kwales son soos/toos intereses
I like the theatre.	**Me gusta el teatro.** may goostah el te-ahtroh
I prefer the cinema.	**Yo prefiero el cine.** yoh prefyairoh el theenay
I'm interested in art.	**Me interesa el arte.** may interesah el artay
That bores me.	**Eso me aburre.** ehsoh may aboorray

5 Say it

I'm interested in music.

I prefer sport.

I don't like video games.

Prefiero el turismo e ir de compras.
prefyairoh el toorees moh eh eer day kompras

I prefer sightseeing and shopping.

Eso a mí no me interesa.
ehsoh ah mee noh may interesah

That doesn't interest me.

No pasa nada. Me voy yo sola.
noh pasah nadah. may boy yoh solah

No problem. I'll go on my own.

1 Warm up

Ask "Do you (formal) want to play tennis?" (pp.118–19)

Say "I like the theater" and "I prefer sightseeing." (pp.118–19)

Say "That doesn't interest me." (pp.118–19)

El deporte y los pasatiempos
Sports and hobbies

Hacer (*to do* or *to make*) and **jugar** (*to play*) are the verbs used most when talking about sports and pastimes. **Jugar** is followed by **a** when you are talking about playing a sport, as in **juego al baloncesto** (*I play basketball*).

2 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and then test yourself.

el fútbol/rugby el footbol/roogbee	*soccer/rugby*
el tenis/baloncesto el tenis/balonthestoh	*tennis/basketball*
la natación lah natathyon	*swimming*
la vela lah belah	*sailing*
la pesca lah peskah	*fishing*
la pintura lah peentoorah	*painting*
el ciclismo el theeklees moh	*cycling*
el senderismo el sendereesmoh	*hiking*

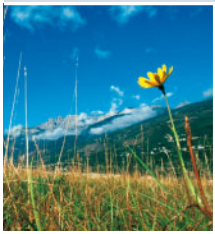
3 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself.

Juego al fútbol. hwegoh al footbol	*I play soccer.*
Juega al tenis. hwegah al tenis	*He plays tennis.*
Ella pinta. eh-yah peentah	*She paints.*

4 Hacer: to do or to make

Hacer is a useful verb meaning "to do"or "to make." It is commonly used to describe leisure pursuits. **Hace** is also used to describe the weather.



Hoy hace bueno.
oy ahthay bwenoh
It's nice (weather) today.

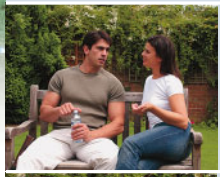
la banderola
lah bandairolah
flag

el campo de golf
el kampoh day golf
golf course

I do	**yo hago** yoh ahgoh
you do (informal/formal singular)	**tú haces/usted hace** too ahthes/oosted ahthay
he/she does	**él/ella hace** el/eh-yah ahthay
we do	**nosotros(-as) hacemos** nosotros(-as) ahthemos
you do (informal plural)	**vosotros(-as) hacéis** bosotros(-as) ahthays
you do (formal plural)	**ustedes hacen** oostedes ahthen
they do	**ellos/ellas hacen** eh-yos/eh-yas ahthen
What do you like doing? (informal/formal singular)	**¿Qué te/le gusta hacer?** kay tay/lay goostah ahthair?
I go hiking.	**Yo hago senderismo.** yoh ahgoh sendereesmoh

5 Put into practice

Join in this conversation following the English prompts.



¿Qué te gusta hacer?
kay tay goostah ahthair
What do you like doing?

Say: I like playing tennis.

Me gusta jugar al tenis.
may goostah hoogar al tenis

¿Juegas al fútbol también?
hwegas al footbol tambyen
Do you play soccer, too?

Say: No, I play rugby.

No, juego al rugby.
noh, hwegoh al roogbee

¿Cuándo juegas?
kwandoh hweges
When do you play?

Say: I play every week.

Juego todas las semanas.
hwegoh todas las semanas

1 Warm up

Say "my husband" and "my wife." (pp.10–11)

Say the days of the week in Spanish. (pp.28–9)

Say "Sorry, I'm busy." (pp.32–3)

La vida social
Socializing

The Spanish dinner table is the center of the social world. You can expect to do a lot of your socializing around the table, enjoying food and wine. In general, it is best to use the more polite **usted** form to talk to older people and **tú** with the younger crowd.

2 Useful phrases

Practice these phrases and then test yourself.

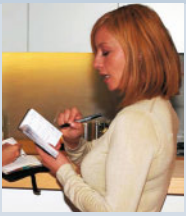
Me gustaría invitarte a cenar. may goostareeah inbeetartay ah thenar	*I'd like to invite you to dinner.*
¿Estás libre el miércoles que viene? estas leebray el myairkoles kay byenay	*Are you free next Wednesday?*
Quizá otro día. keethah ohtroh deeyah	*Maybe another day.*

Cultural tip When you visit someone's house for the first time, it is customary to bring flowers or wine. If you are invited again, having seen your host's house, you can bring something a little more personal.

3 In conversation

¿Quieres venir a comer el martes?
kyaires beneer ah komer el martes

Would you like to come to lunch on Tuesday?



Lo siento, estoy ocupada.
loh syaintoh, estoy okoopadah

I'm sorry, I'm busy.

¿Qué tal el jueves?
kay tal el hwebes

What about Thursday?

4 Words to remember

Familiarize yourself with these words and test yourself using the flap.

party	**la fiesta** lah fyaystah
dinner party	**la cena** lah thenah
invitation	**la invitación** lah inbeetathyon
reception	**la recepción** lah rrethepthyon
cocktail party	**el coctel** el koktel

la invitada
lah inbeetadah
guest

la anfitriona
lah anfeetryonah
hostess

Gracias por invitarnos.
grathyas por inbeetarnos
Thank you for inviting us.

5 Put into practice

Join this conversation, replying in Spanish.

¿Puede venir a una recepción esta noche?
pweday beneer ah oonah rrethepthyon estah nochay
Can you come to a reception tonight?

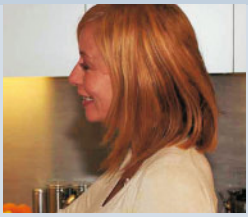
Say: Yes, I'd love to.

Sí, encantado/-a.
see, enkan-tadoh/-ah

Empieza a las ocho.
empyaythah ah las ochoh
It starts at eight o'clock.

Ask: What should I wear?

¿Qué me pongo?
kay may pongoh



Encantada.
enkan-tadah

I'd be delighted.

Ven con tu marido.
ben kon too mareedoh

Bring your husband.

Gracias, ¿a qué hora?
grathyas, ah kay orah

Thank you. What time?

Respuestas
Answers
Cover with flap

Repase y repita
Review and repeat

1 Animals

1 **el pez**
el peth

2 **el pájaro**
el paharoh

3 **el conejo**
el konehoh

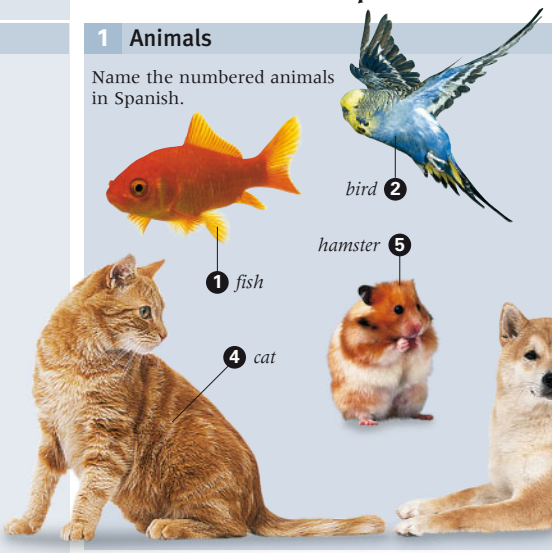
4 **el gato**
el gatoh

5 **el hámster**
el hamster

6 **el perro**
el perroh

1 Animals

Name the numbered animals in Spanish.



2 I like...

1 **Me gusta el fútbol.**
may goostah el footbol

2 **No me gusta el golf.**
noh may goostah el golf

3 **Me gusta pintar.**
may goostah peentar

4 **No me gustan las flores.**
noh may goostan las flores

2 I like...

Say the following in Spanish:

1 *I like soccer.*
2 *I don't like golf.*
3 *I like painting.*
4 *I don't like flowers.*

Respuestas
Answers
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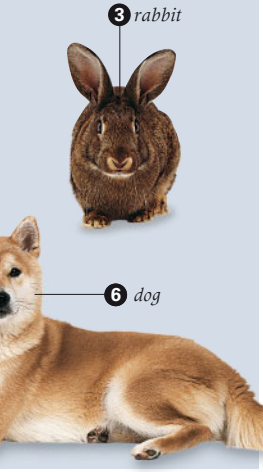

3 Hacer

Use the correct form of the verb **hacer** (*to do* or *to make*) in these sentences.

1 **Vosotros ____ senderismo.**

2 **Ella ____ eso todos los días.**

3 **¿Qué ____ tú?**

4 **Hoy no ____ frío.**

5 **¿Qué ____ ellos esta noche?**

6 **Yo ____ natación.**

3 Hacer

1 **hacéis**
ahthays

2 **hace**
ahthay

3 **haces**
ahthes

4 **hace**
ahthay

5 **hacen**
ahthen

6 **hago**
ahgoh

4 An invitation

You are invited for dinner. Join in the conversation, replying in Spanish following the English prompts.

¿Quieres venir a comer el viernes?
1 *I'm sorry, I'm busy.*

¿Qué tal el sábado?
2 *I'd love to.*

Ven con los niños.
3 *Thank you. What time?*

A las doce y media.
4 *That's good for me.*

4 An invitation

1 **Lo siento, estoy ocupado/-a.**
loh syentoh, estoy okoopadoh/-ah

2 **Encantado/-a.**
enkantadoh/-ah

3 **Gracias. ¿A qué hora?**
grathyas. ah kay orah

4 **Me viene bien.**
may byenay byen

Reinforce and progress

Regular practice is the key to maintaining and advancing your language skills. In this section you will find a variety of suggestions for reinforcing and extending your knowledge of Spanish. Many involve returning to exercises in the book and using the dictionaries to extend their scope. Go back through the lessons in a different order, mix and match activities to make up your own 15-minute daily program, or focus on topics that are of particular relevance to your current needs.

Keep warmed up
Revisit the Warm Up boxes to remind yourself of key words and phrases. Make sure you work your way through all of them on a regular basis.

1 Warm up

Say "I'm sorry"? (pp.32–3)

What is the Spanish for "I'd like an appointment"? (pp.22–3 and pp.32-3)

How do you say "when?" in Spanish? (pp.32–3)

2 I'd like...

Say "I'd like" the following:

Review and repeat again
Work through a Review and Repeat lesson as a way of reinforcing words and phrases presented in the course. Return to the main lesson for any topic on which you are no longer confident.

3 In conversation: taxi

Carry on conversing
Reread the In Conversation panels. Say both parts of the conversation, paying attention to the pronunciation. Where possible, try incorporating new words from the dictionary.

A la Plaza de España, por favor.
ah lah plathah day espanyah, por fabor

Plaza de España, please.

Sí, de acuerdo, señor.
see, day akwairdo, senyor

Yes, certainly, sir.

¿Me puede dejar aquí, por favor?
may pweday dehar ahkee, por fabor

Can you drop me here, please?

4 Useful phrases

Learn these phrases and then test yourself using the cover flap.

What time do you open/close?
¿A qué hora abre/cierra?
ah kay orah ahbray/thyairrah

Where are the restrooms?
¿Dónde están los servicios?
donday estan los serbeethyos

Is there access for wheelchairs?
¿Hay acceso para sillas de ruedas?
ah-ee akthesoh parah seeyas day rwedas

Practice phrases
Return to the Useful Phrases and Put into Practice exercises. Test yourself using the cover flap. When you are confident, devise your own versions of the phrases, using new words from the dictionary.

Match, repeat, and extend
Remind yourself of words related to specific topics by returning to the Match and Repeat and Words to Remember exercises. Test yourself using the cover flap. Discover new words in that area by referring to the dictionary and menu guide.

5 Match and repeat

Match the numbered items in this scene with the text in the panel.

1	**los tomates**	los tomates
2	**las judías**	las hoodeeas
3	**los champiñones**	los champeenyones
4	**las uvas**	las oobas
5	**los pepinos**	los pepeenos
6	**las alcachofas**	las alkachofas
7	**los guisantes**	los gheesantes
8	**los pimientos**	los peemyaintos

6 Say it

The lawn needs watering.

Are there any trees?

The gardener comes on Fridays.

Say it again
The Say It execises are a useful instant reminder for each lesson. Practice these, using your own vocabulary variations from the dictionary or elsewhere in the lesson.

Using other resources

In addition to working with this book, try the following language extension ideas:

- Visit a Spanish-speaking country and try out your new skills with native speakers. Find out if there is a Spanish community near you. There may be shops, cafés, restaurants, and clubs. Try to visit some of these and use your Spanish to order food and drink and strike up conversations. Most native speakers will be happy to speak Spanish to you.
- Join a language class or club. There are usually evening and day classes available at a variety of different levels. Or you could start a club yourself if you have friends who are also interested in keeping up their Spanish.
- Look at Spanish magazines and newspapers. The pictures will help you to understand the text. Advertisements are also a useful way of expanding your vocabulary.
- Use the Internet, where you can find all kinds of websites for learning languages, some of which offer free online help and activities. You can also find Spanish websites for everything from renting a house to shampooing your pet. You can even access Spanish radio and TV stations online. Start by going to a Spanish search engine, such as *ozu.es*, and keying in a hobby or sport that interests you, or set yourself a challenge, such as finding a two-bedroom house for rent in Madrid.

Menu guide

This guide lists the most common terms you may encounter on Spanish menus or when shopping for food. If you can't find an exact phrase, try looking up its component parts.

A

aceitunas *olives*
acelgas *spinach beet*
achicoria *chicory*
aguacate *avocado*
ahumados *smoked*
agua mineral *mineral water*
ajo *garlic*
al ajillo *with garlic*
a la parrilla *grilled*
a la plancha *grilled*
albaricoques *apricots*
albóndigas *meatballs*
alcachofas *artichokes*
alcaparras *capers*
al horno *baked*
allioli *garlic mayonnaise*
almejas *clams*
almejas a la marinera *clams stewed in wine and parsley*
almejas naturales *live clams*
almendras *almonds*
almíbar *syrup*
alubias *beans*
ancas de rana *frogs' legs*
anchoas *anchovies*
anguila *eel*
angulas *baby eels*
arenque *herring*
arroz a la cubana *rice with fried eggs and banana fritters*
arroz a la valenciana *rice with seafood*
arroz con leche *rice pudding*
asados *roast meat*
atún *tuna*
azúcar *sugar*

B

bacalao a la vizcaína *cod served with ham, peppers, and chili pepper*
bacalao al pil pil *cod served with chili pepper and garlic*
batido *milk shake*
bebidas *drinks*
berenjenas *eggplant*
besugo al horno *baked sea bream*
bistec de ternera *veal steak*
bonito *fish similar to tuna*
boquerones fritos *fried fresh anchovies*
brazo gitano *swiss roll*
brocheta de riñones *kidney kebabs*
buñuelos *fried pastries*
butifarra *Catalan sausage*

C

cabrito asado *roast kid*
cacahuetes *peanuts*
cachelada *pork stew with eggs, tomato, and onion*
café *coffee*
café con leche *coffee with steamed milk*
calabacines *zucchini*
calabaza *pumpkin*
calamares a la romana *squid rings in batter*
calamares en su tinta *squid cooked in their ink*
caldeirada *fish soup*
caldereta gallega *vegetable stew*
caldo de ... ... *soup*
caldo de gallina *chicken soup*
caldo de pescado *clear fish soup*
caldo gallego *vegetable soup*
caldo guanche *soup of potatoes, tomatoes, onions, and zucchini*
callos a la madrileña *tripe with chili pepper*
camarones *baby shrimp*
canela *cinnamon*
cangrejos *crabs*
caracoles *snails*
caramelos *sweets*
carnes *meats*
castañas *chestnuts*
cebolla *onion*
cebolletas *green onions*
centollo *spider crab*
cerdo *pork*
cerezas *cherries*
cerveza *beer*
cesta de frutas *selection of fresh fruit*
champiñones *mushrooms*
chanquetes *fish (similar to whitebait)*
chipirones *baby squid*
chipirones en su tinta *squid cooked in their ink*
chocos *cuttlefish*
chorizo *spicy sausage*
chuleta de buey *beef chop*
chuleta de cerdo *pork chop*
chuleta de cerdo empanada *breaded pork chop*
chuleta de cordero *lamb chop*
chuleta de cordero empanada *breaded lamb chop*
chuleta de ternera *veal chop*
chuleta de ternera empanada *breaded veal chop*
chuletas de lomo ahumado *smoked pork chops*
chuletitas de cordero *small lamb chops*
chuletón *large chop*
chuletón de buey *large beef chop*
churros *deep-fried pastry strips*
cigalas *crayfish*
cigalas cocidas *boiled crayfish*
ciruelas *plums*
ciruelas pasas *prunes*
cochinillo asado *roast suckling pig*
cocido *meat, chickpea, and vegetable stew*
cocktail de bogavante *lobster cocktail*
cocochas (de merluza) *hake stew*
cóctel de gambas *shrimp cocktail*
cóctel de langostinos *jumbo shrimp cocktail*
cóctel de mariscos *seafood cocktail*
codornices *quail*
codornices escabechadas *marinated quail*
codornices estofadas *braised quail*
col *cabbage*
coles de Bruselas *Brussels sprouts*
coliflor *cauliflower*
coñac *brandy*
conejo *rabbit*
conejo encebollado *rabbit with onions*
congrio *conger eel*

consomé con yema *consommé with egg yolk*
consomé de ave *fowl consommé*
contra de ternera con guisantes *veal stew with peas*
contrafilete de ternera *veal fillet*
copa *glass (of wine)*
copa de helado *ice cream, assorted flavors*
cordero asado *roast lamb*
cordero chilindrón *lamb stew with onion, tomato, peppers, and eggs*
costillas de cerdo *pork ribs*
crema catalana *crème brûlée*
cremada *dessert made with egg, sugar, and milk*
crema de... *cream of ... soup*
crema de legumbres *cream of vegetable soup*
crepe imperiale *crêpe suzette*
criadillas de tierra *truffles*
crocante *ice cream with chopped nuts*
croquetas *croquettes*
cuajada *curds*

D, E

dátiles *dates*
embutidos *sausages*
embutidos de la tierra *local sausages*
empanada gallega *fish pie*
empanada santiaguesa *fish pie*
empanadillas *small pies*
endivia *endive*
en escabeche *marinated*
ensalada *salad*
ensalada de arenque *fish salad*
ensalada ilustrada *mixed salad*
ensalada mixta *mixed salad*
ensalada simple *green salad*
ensaladilla rusa *Russian salad (potatoes, carrots, peas, and other vegetables in mayonnaise)*
entrecot a la parrilla *grilled entrecôte*
entremeses *hors d'oeuvres, appetizers*
escalope a la milanesa *breaded veal with cheese*
escalope a la parrilla *grilled veal*
escalope a la plancha *grilled veal*
escalope de lomo de cerdo *escalope of pork fillet*
escalope de ternera *veal escalope*
escalope empanado *breaded escalope*
escalopines al vino de Marsala *veal escalopes cooked in Marsala wine*
escalopines de ternera *veal escalopes*
espadín a la toledana *kebab*
espaguetis *spaghetti*
espárragos *asparagus*
espárragos trigueros *wild green asparagus*
espinacas *spinach*
espinazo de cerdo con patatas *stew of pork ribs with potatoes*
estofado *braised; stew*
estragón *tarragon*

F

fabada (asturiana) *bean stew with sausage*
faisán *pheasant*
faisán trufado *pheasant with truffles*
fiambres *cold meats*
fideos *thin pasta, noodles*
filete a la parrilla *grilled beef steak*
filete de cerdo *pork steak*
filete de ternera *veal steak*
flan *crème caramel*
frambuesas *raspberries*
fresas *strawberries*
fritos *fried*
fruta *fruit*

G

gallina en pepitoria *chicken stew with peppers*
gambas *shrimp*
gambas cocidas *boiled shrimp*
gambas en gabardina *shrimp in batter*
gambas rebozadas *shrimp in batter*
garbanzos *chickpeas*
garbanzos a la catalana *chickpeas with sausage, boiled eggs, and pine nuts*
gazpacho andaluz *cold tomato soup*
gelatina de ... ... *gelatin*
gratén de ... ... *au gratin (baked in a cream and cheese sauce)*
granizada *crushed ice drink*
gratinada/o *au gratin*
grelo *turnip*
grillado *grilled*
guisantes *peas*
guisantes salteados *sautéed peas*

H

habas *broad beans*
habichuelas *white beans*
helado *ice cream*
helado de vainilla *vanilla ice cream*
helado de turrón *nougat ice cream*
hígado *liver*
hígado de ternera *calves' liver*
hígado estofado *braised liver*
higos con miel y nueces *figs with honey and nuts*
higos secos *dried figs*
horchata (de chufas) *cold drink made from chufa nuts*
huevo hilado *egg yolk garnish*
huevos *eggs*
huevos a la flamenca *fried eggs with ham, tomato, and vegetables*
huevos cocidos *hard-boiled eggs*
huevos con patatas fritas *fried eggs and french fries*
huevos con picadillo *eggs with ground meat*
huevos duros *hard-boiled eggs*
huevos escalfados *poached eggs*
huevos pasados por agua *soft-boiled eggs*
huevos revueltos *scrambled eggs*

J

jamón *ham*
jamón con huevo hilado *ham with egg yolk garnish*
jamón serrano *cured ham*
jarra de vino *wine jug*
jerez *sherry*
jeta *pigs' cheeks*
judías verdes *green beans*
judías verdes a la española *bean stew*
judías verdes al natural *plain green beans*
jugo de ... ... *juice*

L

langosta *lobster*
langosta a la americana *lobster with brandy and garlic*
langosta a la catalana *lobster with mushrooms and ham in white sauce*
langosta fría con mayonesa *cold lobster with mayonnaise*

langostinos *jumbo shrimp*
langostinos dos salsas *jumbo shrimp cooked in two sauces*
laurel *bay leaves*
leche *milk*
leche frita *pudding made from milk and eggs*
leche merengada *cold milk with meringue*
lechuga *lettuce*
lengua de buey *ox tongue*
lengua de cordero *lambs' tongue*
lenguado a la romana *sole in batter*
lenguado meuniere *sole meunière (floured sole fried in butter)*
lentejas *lentils*
lentejas aliñadas *lentils in vinaigrette dressing*
licores *liquor, liqueur*
liebre estofada *stewed hare*
lima *lime*
limón *lemon*
lombarda *red cabbage*
lomo curado *pork loin sausage*
lonchas de jamón *sliced, cured ham*
longaniza *cooked Spanish sausage*
lubina *sea bass*
lubina a la marinera *sea bass in a parsley sauce*

M

macedonia de fruta *fruit salad*
mahonesa *or* mayonesa *mayonnaise*
Málaga *a sweet wine*
mandarinas *tangerines*
manitas de cordero *lamb shank*
manos de cerdo *pigs' feet*
manos de cerdo a la parrilla *grilled pigs' feet*
mantecadas *small sponge cakes*
mantequilla *butter*
manzanas *apples*
mariscada *cold mixed shellfish*
mariscos del día *fresh shellfish*
mariscos del tiempo *seasonal shellfish*
medallones *steaks*
media de agua *half-bottle of mineral water*
mejillones *mussels*
mejillones a la marinera *mussels in a wine sauce*
melocotón *peach*
melón *melon*
menestra de legumbres *vegetable stew*
menú de la casa *set menu*
menú del día *set menu*
merluza *hake*
merluza a la cazuela *stewed hake*
merluza al ajo arriero *hake with garlic and chili pepper*
merluza a la riojana *hake with chili pepper*
merluza a la romana *hake steaks in batter*
merluza a la vasca *hake in a garlic sauce*
merluza en salsa *hake in sauce*
merluza en salsa verde *hake in a green (parsley and wine) sauce*
merluza fría *cold hake*
merluza frita *fried hake*
mermelada *jam*
mero *grouper (fish)*
mero en salsa verde *grouper in green (garlic and parsley) sauce*
mollejas de ternera fritas *fried sweetbreads*
morcilla *blood sausage*
morcilla de carnero *mutton blood sausage*
morros de cerdo *pigs' cheeks*
morros de vaca *cows' cheeks*
mortadela *salami-type sausage*
morteruelo *kind of pâté*

N, O

nabo *turnip*
naranjas *oranges*
nata *cream*
natillas *cold custard*
níscalos *wild mushrooms*
nueces *walnuts*
orejas de cerdo *pigs' ears*

P

paella *fried rice with seafood and/or meat*
paella castellana *meat paella*
paella valenciana *shellfish, rabbit, and chicken paella*
paleta de cordero lechal *shoulder of lamb*
pan *bread*
panache de verduras *vegetable stew*
panceta *bacon*
parrillada de caza *mixed grilled game*
parrillada de mariscos *mixed grilled shellfish*
pasas *raisins*
pastel de ternera *veal pie*
pasteles *cakes*
patatas a la pescadora *potatoes with fish*
patatas asadas *baked potatoes*
patatas bravas *potatoes in spicy tomato sauce*
patatas fritas *french fries*
patitos rellenos *stuffed duckling*
pato a la naranja *duck in orange sauce*
pavo *turkey*
pavo trufado *turkey stuffed with truffles*
pecho de ternera *breast of veal*
pechuga de pollo *breast of chicken*
pepinillos *pickles*
pepino *cucumber*
peras *pears*
percebes *edible barnacle*
perdices a la campesina *partridges with vegetables*
perdices a la manchega *partridges in red wine, garlic, herbs, and pepper*
perdices escabechadas *marinated partridges*
perejil *parsley*
perritos calientes *hot dogs*
pescaditos fritos *fried fish*
pestiños *sugared pastries flavored with aniseed*
pez espada *swordfish*
picadillo de ternera *ground veal*
pimienta *black pepper*
pimientos *peppers*
pimientos a la riojana *baked red peppers fried in oil and garlic*
pimientos morrones *a type of bell pepper*
pimientos verdes *green peppers*
piña al gratín *pineapple au gratin*
piña fresca *fresh pineapple*
pinchitos/pinchos *kebabs, snacks served in bars*
pinchos morunos *pork kebabs*
piñones *pine nuts*
pisto *ratatouille*
pisto manchego *vegetable marrow with onion and tomato*
plátanos *bananas*
plátanos flameados *flambéed bananas*
pollo *chicken*
pollo a la riojana *chicken with peppers and chili pepper*
pollo al ajillo *fried chicken with garlic*
pollo asado *roast chicken*
pollo braseado *braised chicken*
pollo en cacerola *chicken casserole*

pollo en pepitoria *chicken in wine with saffron, garlic, and almonds*
pollos tomateros con zanahorias *young chicken with carrots*
pomelo *grapefruit*
potaje castellano *thick broth*
potaje de ... ... *stew*
puchero canario *casserole of meat, chickpeas, and corn*
pulpitos con cebolla *baby octopus with onions*
pulpo *octopus*
puré de patatas *mashed potatoes, potato purée*
purrusalda *cod with leeks and potatoes*

Q

queso con membrillo *cheese with quince jelly*
queso de bola *Dutch cheese*
queso de Burgos *soft white cheese*
queso del país *local cheese*
queso de oveja *sheep's cheese*
queso gallego *a creamy cheese*
queso manchego *a hard, strong cheese*
quisquillas *shrimp*

R

rábanos *radishes*
ragout de ternera *veal ragoût*
rape a la americana *monkfish with brandy and herbs*
rape a la cazuela *stewed monkfish*
raya *skate*
rebozado *in batter*
redondo al horno *roast fillet of beef*
rellenos *stuffed*
remolacha *beet*
repollo *cabbage*
repostería de la casa *cakes baked on the premises*
requesón *cream cheese, cottage cheese*
revuelto de ... *scrambled eggs with ...*
revuelto de ajos tiernos *scrambled eggs with spring garlic*
revuelto de trigueros *scrambled eggs with asparagus*
revuelto mixto *scrambled eggs with mixed vegetables*
riñones *kidneys*
rodaballo *turbot (fish)*
romero *rosemary*
ron *rum*
roscas *sweet pastries*

S

sal *salt*
salchichas *sausages*
salchichas de Frankfurt *hot dog–type sausages*
salchichón *sausage similar to salami*
salmón ahumado *smoked salmon*
salmonetes *red mullet*
salmonetes en papillote *red mullet cooked in foil*
salmón frío *cold salmon*
salmorejo *sauce of bread, tomatoes, oil, vinegar, green pepper, and garlic*
salpicón de mariscos *shellfish in vinaigrette*
salsa *sauce*
salsa bechamel *white sauce*
salsa holandesa *hollandaise sauce*
sandía *watermelon*
sardinas a la brasa *barbecued sardines*
seco *dry*
semidulce *medium-sweet*
sesos *brains*
sesos a la romana *fried brains in batter*
sesos rebozados *brains in batter*
setas *mushrooms*
sidra *cider*
sobreasada *sausage with cayenne pepper*
solomillo *fillet steak*
solomillo con patatas *fillet steak with fries*
solomillo de ternera *fillet of veal*
solomillo de vaca *fillet of beef*
solomillo frío *cold roast beef*
sopa *soup*
sopa castellana *vegetable soup*
sopa de almendras *almond soup*
sopa de cola de buey *oxtail soup*
sopa de gallina *chicken soup*
sopa del día *soup of the day*
sopa de legumbres *vegetable soup*
sopa de marisco *fish and shellfish soup*
sopa de rabo de buey *oxtail soup*
sopa mallorquina *soup of tomato, meat, and eggs*
sopa sevillana *fish and mayonnaise soup*
soufflé de fresones *strawberry soufflé*

T

tallarines *noodles*
tallarines a la italiana *tagliatelle*
tarta *cake*
tarta de la casa *cake baked on the premises*
tarta de manzana *apple tart*
tencas *tench*
ternera asada *roast veal*
tocinillos del cielo *a very sweet crème caramel*
tomates *tomatoes*
tomillo *thyme*
torrijas *sweet pastries*
tortilla a la paisana *vegetable omelet*
tortilla a su gusto *omelet made to the customer's specifications*
tortilla de escabeche *fish omelet*
tortilla española *Spanish omelet with potato, onion, and garlic*
tortilla sacromonte *vegetable, brains, and sausage omelet*
tortillas variadas *assorted omelets*
tournedó *fillet steak*
trucha *trout*
trucha ahumada *smoked trout*
trucha escabechada *marinated trout*
truchas a la marinera *trout in wine sauce*
truchas molinera *trout meunière (floured trout fried in butter)*
trufas *truffles*
turrón *nougat*

U, V

uvas *grapes*
verduras *vegetables*
vieiras *scallops*
vino de mesa/blanco /rosado/tinto *table/ white/rosé/red wine*

Z

zanahorias a la crema *creamed carrots*
zarzuela de mariscos *seafood stew*
zarzuela de pescados y mariscos *fish and shellfish stew*
zumo de ... ... *juice*

Dictionary
English to Spanish

The gender of a Spanish noun is indicated by the word for *the*: **el** and **la** (masculine and feminine singular) or their plural forms **los** (masculine) and **las** (feminine). Spanish adjectives (adj) vary according to the gender and number of the word they describe, and the masculine form is shown here. In general, adjectives that end in **-o** adopt an **-a** ending in the feminine form, and those that end in **-e** usually stay the same. For the plural form, an **-s** is added.

A

a un/una
able: to be able poder
about: about sixteen alrededor de dieciséis
accelerator el acelerador
accident el accidente
accommodation el alojamiento
accountant el/la contable
ache el dolor
adapter el adaptador
address la dirección
adhesive el pegamento
admission charge el precio de entrada
after ... después de ...
aftershave el after-shave
again otra vez
against contra
agenda el orden del día
agency la agencia
AIDS el Sida
air el aire
air conditioning el aire acondicionado
aircraft el avión
airline la compañía aérea
air mail por avión
air mattress la colchoneta
airport el aeropuerto
airport bus el autobús del aeropuerto
aisle el pasillo
alarm clock el despertador
alcohol el alcohol
Algeria Argelia
all todo; *all the streets* todas las calles; *that's all* eso es todo
allergic alérgico
almost casi
alone solo
already ya
always siempre
am: I am soy/estoy
ambulance la ambulancia
America América
American el americano/la americana
and y; (after "i" or "h") e
ankle el tobillo
another otro
answering machine el contestador automático
antifreeze el anticongelante
antique shop el anticuario
antiseptic el antiséptico
apartment el apartamento, el piso
aperitif el aperitivo
appetite el apetito
apple la manzana
application form el impreso de solicitud
appointment (business) la cita; (at hairdresser) hora
apricot el albaricoque
April abril
are: you are (informal singular) eres/estás; (formal singular) es/está; (informal plural) sois/estáis; (formal plural) son/están; *we are* somos/estamos; *they are* son/están
arm el brazo
arrive llegar
art el arte
art gallery la galería de arte
artichoke la alcachofa
artist el/la artista
as: as soon as possible lo antes posible
ashtray el cenicero
asleep: he's asleep está dormido
aspirin la aspirina
asthmatic asmático
at: at the post office en Correos; *at night* por la noche; *at 3 o'clock* a las tres
athletic shoes los zapatos de deporte
Atlantic Ocean el Océano Atlántico
ATM el cajero automático
attic el ático
attractive (person) guapo; (object) bonito; (offer) atractivo
August agosto
aunt la tía
Australia Australia
Australian el australiano/la australiana; (adj) australiano
automatic automático
available disponible
away: is it far away? ¿está lejos?; *go away!* ¡váyase!
awful horrible
axe el hacha
axle el eje

B

baby el niño pequeño, el bebé
baby carriage el cochecito
baby wipes las toallitas para bebé
back (not front) la parte de atrás; (body) la espalda
backpack la mochila
bacon el bacon; *bacon and eggs* los huevos fritos con bacon
bad malo
bag la bolsa
bait el cebo
bake cocer al horno
bakery la pastelería
balcony el balcón

Balearic Islands las (Islas) Baleares
ball (soccer) el balon; (tennis, etc.) la pelota
ballpoint pen el bolígrafo
banana el plátano
band (musicians) la banda
bandage la venda; (adhesive) la tirita
bangs (hair) el flequillo
bank el banco
bank card la tarjeta de banco
banknote el billete de banco
bar (drinks) el bar
barbecue la barbacoa
barber la peluquería de caballeros
bargain la ganga
basement el sótano, la bodega
basin (sink) el lavabo
basket el cesto
basketball el baloncesto
bath el baño; *to have a bath* darse un baño
bathroom el cuarto de baño
battery (car) la batería; (flashlight, etc.) la pila
Bay of Biscay el Golfo de Vizcaya
be ser/estar
beach la playa
beach ball el balón de playa
beans las judías
beard la barba
beautiful (object) precioso; (person) guapo
beauty products los productos de belleza
because porque
bed la cama
bed linen la ropa de cama
bedroom el dormitorio
bedside lamp la lamparilla de noche
bedspread la colcha
beef la carne de vaca
beer la cerveza
before ... antes de ...
beginner el/la principiante
behind ... detrás de ...
beige beige
bell (church) la campana; (door) el timbre
below debajo de
belt el cinturón
beside al lado de
best (el) mejor
better mejor
between entre
bicycle la bicicleta
big grande
bill la cuenta
bird el pájaro
birthday el cumpleaños; *happy birthday!* ¡felicidades!
birthday present el regalo de cumpleaños
bite (by dog) la mordedura; (by insect) la picadura; (verb: by dog) morder; (by insect) picar
black negro
blackberries las moras
black currants las grosellas negras
blanket la manta
bleach la lejía; (verb: hair) teñir
blind (cannot see) ciego
blinds las persianas
blister la ampolla
blizzard la ventisca
blond(e) (adj) rubio
blood la sangre
blood test el análisis de sangre
blouse la blusa
blue azul
boarding pass la tarjeta de embarque
boat el barco; (small) la barca
body el cuerpo
boil (verb: water) hervir; (egg, etc.) cocer
boiled hervido
bolt (on door) el cerrojo; (verb) echar el cerrojo
bone el hueso
book el libro;(verb) reservar
bookstore la librería
boot (footwear) la bota
border el borde; (between countries) la frontera
boring aburrido
born: I was born in ... nací en ...
both: both of them los dos; *both of us* los dos; *both* ... *and* ... tanto ... como ...
bottle la botella
bottle opener el abrebotellas
bottom el fondo; (part of body) el trasero
bowl el cuenco
box la caja
box office la taquilla
boy el chico
boyfriend el novio
bra el sostén
bracelet la pulsera
brake el freno; (verb) frenar
branch (of company) la oficina
brandy el coñac
bread el pan
bread shop la panadería
breakdown (car) la avería; (nervous) la crisis nerviosa; *I've had a breakdown* (car) he tenido una avería
breakfast el desayuno
breathe respirar
bridge el puente; (game) el bridge
briefcase la cartera
British británico
brochure el folleto
broken roto
brooch el broche
brother el hermano
brown marrón; (hair) castaño; (skin) moreno
bruise el cardenal
brush (paint) la brocha; (cleaning) el cepillo; (hair) el cepillo del pelo; (verb: hair) cepillar el pelo
budget el presupuesto
bucket el cubo
building el edificio
bull el toro
bullfight la corrida de toros
bullfighter el torero
bullring la plaza de toros
bumper el parachoques
burglar el ladrón
burn la quemadura; (verb) quemar
bus el autobús
business el negocio; *it's none of your business* no es asunto suyo
business card la tarjeta de vista
bus station la estación de autobuses
busy (bar) concurrido; (phone) ocupado
but pero
butcher shop la carnicería
butter la mantequilla
button el botón
buy comprar
by: by the window junto a la ventana; *by Friday* para el viernes; *by myself* yo solo; *written by* escrito por

C

cabbage la col
cable car el teleférico
cable TV la television por cable
café el café
cage la jaula
cake (small) el pastel; (large) la tarta; *sponge cake* el bizcocho
calculator la calculadora
call: what's it called? ¿cómo se llama?
camcorder la videocámara
camera la máquina de fotos, la cámara de fotos
camper trailer la roulotte
camper van la autocaravana
campfire la hoguera
campground el camping
camshaft el árbol de levas
can (tin) la lata; (verb: to be able) poder; *can you ...?* ¿puede ...?; *I can't ...* no puedo ...
Canada Canadá
Canadian canadiense
canal el canal
Canaries las (Islas) Canarias
candle la vela
candy los caramelos (m)
can opener el abrelatas
cap (bottle) el tapón; (hat) la gorra
car el coche
car (train) el vagón
carburetor el carburador
card la tarjeta
cardigan sweater la rebeca
careful prudente; *be careful!* ¡cuidado!
caretaker el portero, el encargado
carpenter el carpintero
carpet la alfombra
carrot la zanahoria
carry-on luggage el equipaje de mano
car seat (for baby/child) el asiento infantil
cart el carrito
case (suitcase) la maleta
cash el dinero; cobrar (verb); *to pay cash* pagar al contado
cashier el cajero
cassette la cassette, la cinta
cassette player el cassette
castanets las castañuelas
Castile Castilla
Castilian castellano
castle el castillo
cat el gato
Catalonia Cataluña
catch (bus, etc.) coger
cathedral la catedral
Catholic (adj) católico
cauliflower la coliflor
cave la cueva
CD el disco compacto
ceiling el techo
cell phone el teléfono móvil, el teléfono celular
cemetery el cementerio
central heating la calefacción central
center el centro
certificate el certificado
chair la silla
change (money) el cambio; (verb: money) cambiar; (clothes) cambiarse; (trains, etc.) hacer transbordo
charger el cargador
check el cheque
checkbook el talonario de cheques
check-in (desk) la (el mostrador de) facturación
check in (verb) facturar
checkout (supermarket) la caja
cheers! (toast) ¡salud!
cheese el queso
cherry la cereza
chess el ajedrez
chest (part of body) el pecho; (furniture) el arcón
chest of drawers la cómoda
chewing gum el chicle
chicken el pollo
child el niño/la niña
children los niños
children's ward la sala de pediatría
chimney la chimenea
china la porcelana
chips las patatas fritas
chocolate el chocolate; *box of chocolates* la caja de bombones; *chocolate bar* la tableta de chocolate
chop (food) la chuleta; (verb: cut) cortar
Christmas la navidad
church la iglesia
cigar el puro
cigarette el cigarrillo
city la ciudad
class la clase
classical music la música clásica
clean (adj) limpio
cleaner la asistenta
clear (obvious) evidente; (water) claro
clever listo
client el cliente
clock el reloj
close (near) cerca
close (verb) cerrar
closed cerrado
clothes la ropa
clubs (cards) tréboles
coat el abrigo
coat hanger la percha
cockroach la cucaracha
cocktail party el coctel
coffee el café
coin la moneda
cold (illness) el resfriado; (adj) frío; *I have a cold* tengo un resfriado; *I'm cold* tengo frío
collar el cuello; (of animal) el collar
collection (stamps, etc.) la colección
color el color
color film la película en color
comb el peine; (verb)peinar
come venir; *I come from ...* soy de ...; *we came last week* llegamos la semana pasada; *come here!* ¡venga aquí!
come back volver
comforter el edredón
compartment el compartimento
complicated complicado
computer el ordenador
computer games los vídeo-juegos
concert el concierto
conditioner (hair) el acondicionador
condom el condón
conductor (bus) el cobrador; (orchestra) el director
conference la conferencia
conference room la sala de conferencias
congratulations! ¡enhorabuena!
consulate el consulado
contact lenses las lentes de contacto
contraceptive el anticonceptivo
contract el contrato
cook el cocinero/la cocinera; (verb) guisar

cookie la galleta
cooking utensils los utensilios de cocina
cool fresco
cork el corcho
corkscrew el sacacorchos
corner (of street) la esquina; (of room) el rincón
corridor el pasillo
cosmetics los cosméticos
cost (verb) costar; *what does it cost?* ¿cuánto cuesta?
cotton el algodón
cotton balls el algodón
cough la tos; (verb) toser
cough drops las pastillas para la garganta
countertop el mostrador
country (state) el país
countryside el campo
cousin el primo/la prima
crab el cangrejo
cramp el calambre
crayfish las cigalas
crazy loco
cream (dairy) la nata; (lotion) la crema
credit card la tarjeta de crédito
crib el capazo
crowded lleno
cruise el crucero
crutches las muletas
cry (weep) llorar; (shout) gritar
cucumber el pepino
cuff links los gemelos
cup la taza
cupboard el armario
curlers los rulos
curls los rizos
curry el curry
curtain la cortina
cushion el cojín
customs la aduana
cut la cortadura; (verb) cortar
cycling el ciclismo

D

dad papá
dairy products los productos lácteos
damp húmedo
dance el baile; (verb) bailar
dangerous peligroso
dark oscuro; *dark blue* azul oscuro
daughter la hija
day el día
dead muerto
deaf sordo
dear (person) querido
December diciembre
deck of cards la baraja
decorator el pintor
deep profundo
delayed retrasado
deliberately a propósito
delicatessen la charcutería
delivery la entrega
dentist el/la dentista
dentures la dentadura postiza
deny negar
deodorant el desodorante
department el departemento
department store los grandes almacenes
departure la salida
departures las salidas
deposit la señal
designer el diseñador/la diseñadora
desk la mesa de escritorio
dessert el postre
develop (film) revelar
diabetic diabético
diamonds (jewels) los diamantes; (cards) los diamantes
diaper el pañal
diarrhea la diarrea
dictionary el diccionario
die morir
diesel (oil) fuel-oil; (adj: engine) diesel
different diferente; *that's different!* ¡eso es distinto!; *I'd like a different one* quisiera otro distinto
difficult difícil
dining room el comedor
dinner la cena
dinner party la cena
dirty sucio
disabled minusválido
discount el descuento
dish cloth el paño de cocina
dishwasher el lavavajillas
dishwashing liquid el lavavajillas
disposable diapers los pañales desechables
divorced divorciado
do hacer
dock el muelle
doctor el médico/la médica
document el documento
dog el perro
doll la muñeca
dollar el dólar
door la puerta
double room la habitación doble
doughnut el dónut
down hacia abajo
downtown el centro
dress el vestido
drink la bebida; (verb) beber; *would you like something to drink?* ¿quiere beber algo?
drinking water agua potable
drive (verb) conducir
driver el conductor
driver's license el carnet de conducir
drops las gotas
drunk borracho
dry seco; (sherry) fino
dry cleaner la tintorería
during durante
duster el trapo del polvo
duty-free libre de impuestos; *duty-free shop* el duty-free

E

each (every) cada; *20 euros each* veinte euros cada uno
ear (inner) el oído; (outer) la oreja; *ears* las orejas
early temprano
earrings los pendientes
east este; *the East* el Este
easy fácil
eat comer
egg el huevo
eggplant las berenjenas
eight ocho
eighteen dieciocho
eighty ochenta
either: either of them cualquiera de ellos; *either ... or ...* o bien ... o ...
elastic elástico
elbow el codo
electric eléctrico
electrician el/la electricista
electricity la electricidad
eleven once
else: something else algo más; *someone else* alguien más; *somewhere else* en otro sitio
email el email, el correo electrónico
email address la dirección de email
embarrassing embarazoso
embassy la embajada
embroidery el bordado
emergency la emergencia
emergency brake (train) el freno de emergencia
emergency department el servicio de urgencias

emergency exit la salida de emergencia
employee el empleado
empty vacío
end el final
engaged (marriage) prometido/prometida
engine (motor) el motor
engineering la ingeniería
England Inglaterra
English inglés
Englishman el inglés
Englishwoman la inglesa
enlargement la ampliación
enough bastante
entertainment las diversiones
entrance la entrada
envelope el sobre
epileptic epiléptico
eraser la goma de borrar
escalator la escalera mecánica
especially sobre todo
espresso el café solo
estimate el presupuesto
evening la tarde
every cada; *every day* todos los días
everyone todos
everything todo
everywhere por todas partes
example el ejemplo; *for example* por ejemplo
excellent excelente
excess baggage exceso de equipaje
exchange (verb) cambiar
exchange rate el cambio
excursion la excursión
excuse me! (to get attention) ¡oiga, por favor!; (when sneezing, etc.) ¡perdón!; *excuse me, please* (to get past) ¿me hace el favor?
executive el ejecutivo
exhaust el tubo de escape
exhibition la exposición
exit la salida
expensive caro
expressway la autopista
extension cord el cable alargador
eye el ojo
eyebrow la ceja

F

face la cara
faint (unclear) tenue; (verb) desmayarse; *I feel faint* estoy mareado
fair la feria; *it's not fair* no hay derecho
false teeth la dentadura postiza
family la familia
fan (enthusiast) el fan; (soccer) el hincha; (ventilator) el ventilador; (handheld) el abanico
fantastic fantástico
far lejos; *how far is it to ...?* ¿qué distancia hay a ...?
fare el billete, la tarifa
farm la granja
farmer el granjero
fashion la moda
fast rápido
fat (adj) gordo; (on meat) la grasa
father el padre
faucet el grifo
fax el fax; enviar por fax (verb)
February febrero
feel (touch) tocar; *I feel hot* tengo calor; *I feel like ...*; *I don't feel well* no me encuentro bien
felt-tip pen el rotulador
fence la cerca
ferry el ferry
fiancé el prometido
fiancée la prometida
field (of grass, etc.) el campo; (of study) la especialidad
fifteen quince
fifty cincuenta
fig el higo
figures los números
filling (in tooth) el empaste; (in sandwich, cake) el relleno
film la película
filter el filtro
filter papers los papeles de filtro
finger el dedo
fire el fuego; (blaze) el incendio
fire extinguisher el extintor
fireplace la chimenea
fireworks los fuegos artificiales
first primero; *first aid* primeros auxilios
first class de primera
first floor el primer piso
first name el nombre de pila
fish el pez; (food) el pescado
fishing la pesca; *to go fishing* ir a pescar
fishmonger la pescadería
five cinco
flag la bandera
flash (camera) el flash
flashlight la linterna
flat (level) plano
flat tire la rueda pinchada
flavor el sabor
flea la pulga
flea spray el spray antipulgas
flight el vuelo
floor el suelo; (story) el piso
flour la harina
flower la flor
flowerbed el parterre
flute la flauta
fly (insect) la mosca; (verb: of plane, insect) volar; (of person) viajar en avión
fog la niebla
folk music la música folklórica
food la comida
food poisoning la intoxicación alimenticia
foot el pie
for: for me para mí; *what for?* ¿para qué?; *for a week* (para) una semana
foreigner el extranjero/la extranjera
forest el bosque; (tropical) la selva
forget olvidar
fork el tenedor; (garden) la horca
forty cuarenta
fountain la fuente
fountain pen la (pluma) estilográfica
four cuatro
fourteen catorce
fourth cuarto
France Francia
free (not engaged) libre; (no charge) gratis
freezer el congelador
French francés
french fries las patatas fritas
Friday viernes
fried frito
friend el amigo/la amiga
friendly simpático
front: in front of ... delante de ...
frost la escarcha
frozen foods los congelados
fruit la fruta

fruit juice el zumo de frutas
fry freír
frying pan la sartén
full lleno; *I'm full* estoy lleno
full board pensión completa
funny divertido; (odd) raro
furniture los muebles

G

garage (for parking) el garage; (for repairs) el taller
garbage la basura
garbage bag la bolsa de basura
garden el jardín
garden center el vivero
garlic el ajo
gasoline la gasolina
gas-permeable lenses las lentes de contacto semi-rígidas
gas station la gasolinera
gate la puerta, la verja; (at airport) la puerta de embarque
gay (homosexual) gay
gearbox la caja de cambios
gear stick la palanca de velocidades
gel (hair) el gel
German alemán
Germany Alemania
get (fetch) traer; *have you got ...?* ¿tiene ...?; *to get the train* coger el tren
get back: we get back tomorrow nos volvemos mañana; *to get something back* recobrar algo
get in (of train, etc.) subirse; (of person) llegar
get off (bus, etc.) bajarse
get on (bus, etc.) subirse
get out bajarse; (bring out) sacar
get up (rise) levantarse
Gibraltar Gibraltar
gift el regalo
gin la ginebra
ginger (spice) el jengibre
girl la chica
girlfriend la novia
give dar
glad alegre
glass (material) el cristal; (for drinking) el vaso, la copa
glasses las gafas
gloss prints las copias con brillo
gloves los guantes
glue el pegamento
go ir
gold el oro
good bueno; *good!* ¡bien!
good afternoon buenas tardes
goodbye adiós
good evening buenas noches
good morning buenos días
government el gobierno
granddaughter la nieta
grandfather el abuelo
grandmother la abuela
grandparents los abuelos
grandson el nieto
grapes las uvas
grass la hierba
gray gris
Great Britain Gran Bretaña
green verde
greengrocer la verdulería
grill la parrilla
grilled a la plancha
grocery store el ultramarinos, la tienda de comestibles
ground floor la planta baja
groundsheet la lona impermeable, el suelo aislante
guarantee la garantía; (verb) garantizar
guest la invitada
guide el/la guía
guide book la guía turística
guided tour la visita con guía
guitar la guitarra
gun (rifle) la escopeta; (pistol) la pistola
gym el centro deportivo

H

hair el pelo
haircut el corte de pelo
hairdryer el secador (de pelo)
hair salon la peluquería
hairspray la laca
half medio; *half an hour* media hora
half board media pensión
ham el jamón
hamburger la hamburguesa
hammer el martillo
hamster el hámster
hand la mano
handbag el bolso
handbrake el freno de mano
handle (door) el picaporte
handshake el apretón de manos
handsome guapo
handyman el albañil
hangover la resaca
happy contento, feliz
harbor el puerto
hard duro; (difficult) difícil
hardware store la ferretería
hat el sombrero; (woollen) el gorro
have tener; *I don't have ...* no tengo ...; *do you have ...?* ¿tiene ...?; *I have to go* tengo que irme ; *can I have ...?* ¿me pone ...?
hay fever la fiebre del heno
he él
head la cabeza
headache el dolor de cabeza
headlights los faros
headphones los auriculares
hear oír
hearing aid el audífono
heart el corazón
hearts (cards) los corazones
heater la estufa
heating la calefacción
heavy pesado
hedge el seto
heel el talón; (shoe) el tacón
hello hola; (on phone) dígame
help la ayuda; (verb) ayudar
hepatitis la hepatitis
her: *it's for her* es para ella; *her book* su libro; *her shoes* sus zapatos; *it's hers* es suyo; *give it to her* déselo
high alto
highway code el código de la circulación
hiking el senderismo
hill el monte
him: it's for him es para él; *give it to him* déselo
his: his book su libro; *his shoes* sus zapatos; *it's his* es suyo
history la historia
hitchhike hacer auto-stop
HIV positive seropositivo
hobby el hobby

home la casa; *at home* en casa
homeopathy la homeopatía
honest honrado; (sincere) sincero
honey la miel
honeymoon el viaje de novios
horn (car) el claxon; (animal) el cuerno
hood (car) el capó
horrible horrible
hospital el hospital
hostess la anfitriona
hour la hora
house la casa
household products los productos del hogar
hovercraft el aerodeslizador
how? ¿cómo?
how are you? ¿qué tal?
hundred cien
hungry: I'm hungry tengo hambre
hurry: I'm in a hurry tengo prisa
husband el marido
hydrofoil la hidroaleta

I

I yo
ice el hielo
ice cream el helado
ice skates los patines para hielo
if si
ignition el encendido
immediately inmediatamente
impossible imposible
in en; *in English* en inglés; *in the hotel* en el hotel; *in Barcelona* en Barcelona; *he's not in* no está
included incluido
indigestion indigestión
inexpensive barato
infection la infección
information la información
inhaler (for asthma, etc.) el spray, el inhalador
injection la inyección
injury la herida
ink la tinta
inn la fonda
inner tube la cámara (neumática)
insect el insecto
insect repellent la loción anti-mosquitos
insomnia el insomnio
instant coffee el café instantáneo
insurance el seguro
interesting interesante
Internet el internet
interpret interpretar
interpreter el/la intérprete
invitation la invitación
invoice la factura
Ireland Irlanda
Irish irlandés/ irlandesa
iron (metal) el hierro; (for clothes) la plancha;(verb) planchar
is es/está
island la isla
it lo/la
Italian (adj) italiano/ italiana (m/f)
Italy Italia
its su

J

jacket la chaqueta
jam la mermelada
January enero
jazz el jazz
jeans los tejanos, los vaqueros
jellyfish la medusa
jeweler la joyería
job el trabajo
jog (verb) hacer footing
jogging suit el chandal
joke la broma; (funny story) el chiste
journey el viaje
juice el zumo
July julio
June junio
just (only) sólo; *it's just arrived* acaba de llegar

K

kerosene la parafina
key la llave
keyboard el teclado
kidney el riñón
kilo el kilo
kilometer el kilómetro
kitchen la cocina
knee la rodilla
knife el cuchillo
knit hacer punto
knitwear los artículos de punto
know saber; (person, place) conocer; *I don't know* no sé

L

label la etiqueta
lace el encaje
laces (shoe) los cordones (de los zapatos)
lady la señora
lake el lago
lamb el cordero
lamp la lámpara, el flexo
lampshade la pantalla
land la tierra; (verb) aterrizar
language el idioma
large grande
last (final) último; *at last!* ¡por fin! ; *last week* la semana pasada
late: it's getting late se está haciendo tarde; *the bus is late* el autobús se ha retrasado
later más tarde
laugh reír
laundromat la lavandería automática
laundry (dirty) la ropa sucia; (washed) la colada
laundry detergent el jabón de lavadora, el detergente
law el derecho
lawn el césped
lawn mower la maquina cortacésped
lawyer el abogado/ la abogada
laxative el laxante
lazy perezoso
leaf la hoja
leaflet el folleto
learn aprender
leash la correa
leather el cuero
lecture hall el anfiteatro
left (not right) izquierdo; *there's nothing left* no queda nada
leg la pierna
lemon el limón
lemonade la limonada
length la longitud
lens la lente
less menos
lesson la clase
letter (mail) la carta; (of alphabet) la letra
lettuce la lechuga
library la biblioteca
license el permiso
license plate la matrícula
life la vida
lift el ascensor
light la luz; (weight) ligero; (not dark) claro
light bulb la bombilla
lighter el encendedor
lighter fuel el gas para el encendedor
light meter el fotómetro
like: I like ... me gusta ...; *I like swimming* me gusta nadar; *it's like ...* es como ...; *like this one* como éste
lime (fruit) la lima

line la cola; (phone, etc.) línea; (verb) hacer cola
lipstick la barra de labios
liqueur el licor
list la lista
liter el litro
literature la literatura
litter la basura
little (small) pequeño; *it's a little big* es un poco grande; *just a little* sólo un poquito
liver el hígado
living room el cuarto de estar
lobster la langosta
lollipop el chupa-chups
long largo
lost property office la oficina de objetos perdidos
lot: a lot mucho
loud alto
lounge (in house) el cuarto de estar; (in hotel, etc.) el salón
love el amor; (verb) querer; *I love Spain* me encanta España
lover el/la amante
low bajo
luck: good luck! ¡suerte!
luggage el equipaje
luggage rack la rejilla de equipajes
lunch la comida

M

madam señora
magazine la revista
mail el correo; (verb) echar al correo
mailbox el buzón
mail carrier el cartero
main course el plato principal
main road la calle principal
Majorca Mallorca
make hacer
make-up el maquillaje
man el hombre
manager el/la gerente, el jefe; (hotel) el director/la directora
many muchos/muchas; *many thanks* muchas gracias; *many people* mucha gente; *how many* ¿cuántos?; *too many* demasiados; *not many* no muchos
map el mapa; *town map/plan* el plano
marble el mármol
March marzo
margarine la margarina
market el mercado
marmalade la mermelada de naranja
married casado
mascara el rímel
mass (church) la misa
match (light) la cerilla; (sports) el partido
material (cloth) la tela
matter: it doesn't matter no importa
mattress el colchón
May mayo
maybe quizás
me: it's for me es para mí; *give it to me* démelo
meal la comida
mean: what does this mean? ¿qué significa esto?
meat la carne
mechanic el mecánico
medicine la medicina
Mediterranean el Mediterráneo
medium (sherry) amontillado
medium-dry (wine) semi-seco
meeting la reunión
melon el melón
menu la carta; *set menu* el menú (del día)
message el recado, el mensaje
metro station le estación de metro
microwave el microondas
middle: in the middle en el centro
midnight medianoche
milk la leche
mine: it's mine es mío
mineral water el agua mineral
minute el minuto
mirror el espejo
Miss Señorita
mistake la equivocación
modem el modem
Monday lunes
money el dinero
monitor el monitor
month el mes
monument el monumento
moon la luna
moped el ciclomotor
more más
morning la mañana; *in the morning* por la mañana
Morocco Marruecos
mosaic el mosaico
mosquito el mosquito
mother la madre
motorboat la motora
motorcycle la motocicleta
mountain la montaña
mountain bike la bicicleta de montaña
mouse el ratón
mousse (for hair) la espuma moldeadora
mouth la boca
move (verb: something) mover; (oneself) moverse; (house) mudarse de casa; *don't move!* ¡no se mueva!
movie la película
movie theater el cine
Mr. Señor
Mrs. Señora
much: much better mucho mejor; *much slower* mucho más despacio
mug la jarrita
Mum mama
museum el museo
mushrooms los champiñones, las setas
music la música
musical instrument el instrumento musical
musician el músico
music system el equipo de música
mussels los mejillones
must (to have to) tener que *I must* ... tengo que ...
mustache el bigote
mustard la mostaza
my: my book mi libro; *my keys* mis llaves

N

nail (metal) el clavo; (finger) la uña
nail clippers el cortauñas
nailfile la lima de uñas
nail polish el esmalte de uñas
name el nombre; *what's your name?* ¿cómo se llama usted?; *my name is...* me llamo...
napkin la servilleta
narrow estrecho
near: near the door junto a la puerta; *near New York* cerca de New York
necessary necesario
neck el cuello
necklace el collar
need (verb) necesitar; *I need* ... necesito ...; *there's no need* no hace falta
needle la aguja
negative (photo) el negativo

neither: neither of them ninguno de ellos; *neither ... nor ...* ni ... ni ...
nephew el sobrino
never nunca
new nuevo
news las noticias
newspaper el periódico
newsstand el kiosko de periódicos
New Zealand Nueva Zelanda
New Zealander el neozelandés/ la neozelandesa
next próximo, siguiente; *next week* la semana que viene; *what next?* ¿y ahora qué?
nice bonito; (pleasant) agradable; (to eat) bueno
niece la sobrina
night la noche
nightclub la discoteca
nightgown el camisón
night porter el vigilante nocturno
nightstand la mesilla de noche
nine nueve
nineteen diecinueve
ninety noventa
no (response) no; *I have no money* no tengo dinero
nobody nadie
noisy ruidoso
noon mediodía
north el norte
Northern Ireland Irlanda del Norte
nose la nariz
not no; *he's not ...* no es/está ...
notebook el cuaderno
notepad el bloc
nothing nada
novel la novela
November noviembre
now ahora
nowhere en ninguna parte
nudist el/la nudista
number el número
nurse el enfermo/ la enferma
nut (fruit) la nuez; (for bolt) la tuerca

O

oars los remos
occasionally de vez en cuando
occupied ocupado
October octubre
octopus el pulpo
of de
office (place) la oficina; (room) el despacho
office block el bloque de oficinas
often a menudo
oil el aceite
ointment la pomada
OK vale
old viejo; *how old are you?* ¿cuántos años tiene?
olive la aceituna
olive oil el aceite de oliva
olive tree el olivo
omelet la tortilla
on ... en ...
one uno
onion la cebolla
only sólo
open (adj) abierto; (verb) abrir
opening times el horario de apertura
operating room el quirófano
operation la operación
operator la operadora
across from: across from the hotel enfrente del hotel
optician el/la oculista
or o
orange (fruit) la naranja; (color) naranja
orchestra la orquesta
order el pedido
organ (music) el órgano
other: the other (one) el otro
our nuestro; *it's ours* es nuestro
out: he's out no está
outside fuera; *external* externa
oven el horno
over ... encima de ...; (more than) más de ...; *it's over the road* está al otro lado de la calle; *when the party is over* cuando termine la fiesta; *over there* allí
overpass el paso elevado
oyster la ostra

P

package el paquete
packet el paquete; (cigarettes) la cajetilla; (candy, chips) la bolsa
padlock el candado
page la página
pain el dolor
paint la pintura
pair el par
pajamas el pijama
palace el palacio
pale pálido
pancakes las crepes
pants el pantalón
pantyhose las medias, los pantis
paper el papel; (newspaper) el periódico
pardon? ¿cómo dice?
parents los padres
park el parque; (verb) aparcar; *no parking* prohibido aparcar
parking lot el aparcamiento
parsley el perejil
part (hair) la raya
party (celebration) la fiesta; (group) el grupo; (political) el partido
passenger el pasajero
pass (in car) adelantar
passport el pasaporte
password la contraseña
pasta la pasta
path el camino
pavement la acera
pay pagar
payment el pago
peach el melocotón
peanuts los cacahuetes
pear la pera
pearl la perla
peas los guisantes
pedestrian el peatón
pedestrian zone la zona peatonal
peg la pinza
pen la pluma
pencil el lápiz
pencil sharpener el sacapuntas
penknife la navaja
pen pal el amigo/ la amiga por correspondencia
people la gente
pepper la pimienta; (red, green) el pimiento
peppermints las pastillas de menta
per: per night por noche
perfect perfecto
perfume el perfume
perhaps quizás
perm la permanente
pet passport el pasaporte de animales
pets los animales de compañía; los animales domésticos
pharmacy la farmacia
phone book la guía telefónica
phone booth la cabina telefónica

phone card la tarjeta telefónica
photocopier la fotocopiadora
photograph la foto(grafía); (verb) fotografiar
photographer el fotógrafo
phrase book el libro de frases
piano el piano
pickpocket el carterista
pickup (postal) la recogida
picnic el picnic
piece el pedazo
pill la pastilla
pillow la almohada
pilot el piloto
PIN el pin
pin el alfiler
pine (tree) el pino
pineapple la piña
pink rosa
pipe (for smoking) la pipa; (for water) la tubería
piston el piston
pizza la pizza
place el lugar; *at your place* en su casa
planner la agenda
plant la planta
plastic el plástico
plastic bag la bolsa de plástico
plastic wrap el plástico para envolver
plate el plato
platform (train) el andén
play (theater) la obra de teatro; (verb) jugar
please por favor
pleased to meet you encantado/encantada
plug (electrical) el enchufe; (sink) el tapón
plumber el fontanero/la fontenera
pocket el bolsillo
poison el veneno
police la policía
police officer el policía
police report la denuncia
police station la comisaría
politics la política
poor pobre; (bad quality) malo
pop music la música pop
pork la carne de cerdo
port (harbor) el puerto; (drink) el oporto
porter (hotel) el conserje
Portugal Portugal
Portuguese portugués
possible posible
postcard la postal
poster el póster
post office (la oficina de) Correos
potato la patata
poultry las aves
pound (sterling) la libra
powder el polvo; (cosmetic) los polvos
prefer preferir
pregnant embarazada
prescription la receta
pretty bonito; (quite) bastante
price el precio
priest el cura
printer la impresora
private privado
problem el problema
profession la profesión
professor el catedrático; *professor* (university) el profesor/la profesora de universidad
profits los beneficios
prohibited prohibido
protection factor (SPF) el factor de protección
public público
public holiday el día de fiesta
public swimming pool la piscina municipal
pull tirar de
puncture el pinchazo
purple morado
purse la cartera, el monedero
push empujar
put poner
Pyrenees los Pirineos

Q

quality la calidad
quarter el cuarto
question la pregunta
quick rápido
quiet tranquilo; (person) callado
quite (fairly) bastante; (fully) completamente

R

rabbit el conejo
radiator el radiador
radio la radio
radish el rábano
rake el rastrillo
railroad el ferrocarril
rain la lluvia
raincoat la gabardina
rainforest la selva
raisins las pasas
raspberry la frambuesa
rare (uncommon) raro; (steak) poco hecho, poco pasado
rat la rata
razor blades las cuchillas de afeitar
read leer
ready listo
receipt el recibo
reception la recepción
receptionist el/la recepcionista
record (music) el disco; (sports, etc.) el récord
record player el tocadiscos
record store la tienda de discos
red rojo; (wine) tinto
refreshments los refrescos
refrigerator el frigorífico
registered mail correo certificado
relative el pariente
relax relajarse; (rest) descansar
religion la religión
remember: I remember me acuerdo; *I don't remember* no me acuerdo
rent (verb) alquilar
repair arreglar
report el informe
reservation la reserva
rest (remainder) el resto; (verb: relax) descansar
restaurant el restaurante
restaurant car el vagón-restaurante
restrooms los servicios
return (come back) volver; (give back) devolver
rice el arroz
rich rico
right (correct) correcto; (not left) derecho
ring (for finger) el anillo
ripe maduro
river el río
road la carretera
roasted asado
robbery el robo
rock (stone) la roca
roll (bread) el bollo
roof el tejado
room la habitación; (space) el sitio
room service el servicio de habitaciones
rope la cuerda
rose la rosa
round (circular) redondo
roundabout la rotonda
round-trip ticket el billete de ida y vuelta
row (verb) remar

rowing boat la barca de remos
rubber (material) la goma
rubber band la goma
ruby (stone) el rubí
rug (mat) la alfombra; (blanket) la manta
rugby el rugby
ruins las ruinas
ruler (for measuring) la regla
rum el ron
run (verb) correr
runway la pista

S

sad triste
safe (not dangerous) seguro
safety pin el imperdible
sailboard la tabla de windsurfing
sailing la vela
salad la ensalada
sale (at reduced prices) las rebajas
sales las ventas
salmon el salmón
salt la sal
same: the same dress el mismo vestido; *the same people* la misma gente; *same again, please* lo mismo otra vez, por favor
sand la arena
sandals las sandalias
sand dunes las dunas
sandwich el bocadillo
sanitary napkins las compresas
Saturday sábado
sauce la salsa
saucepan el cazo
saucer el platillo
sauna la sauna
sausage la salchicha
say decir; *what did you say?* ¿qué ha dicho?; *how do you say ...?* ¿cómo se dice ...?
scarf la bufanda; (head) el pañuelo
schedule el programa, el horario
school la escuela
science las ciencias
scissors las tijeras
Scotland Escocia
Scottish escocés/escocesa
screen la pantalla
screw el tornillo
screwdriver el destornillador
sea el mar
seafood los mariscos
seat el asiento
seat belt el cinturón de seguridad
second el segundo
second class de segunda
see ver; *I can't see* no veo; *I see* comprendo
self-employed (person) el autónomo/la autónoma
sell vender
seminar el seminario
send mandar
separate (adj) distinto
separated separado
September septiembre
serious serio
seven siete
seventeen diecisiete
seventy setenta
several varios
sew coser
shampoo el champú
shave el afeitado; *to shave* afeitarse
shaving foam la espuma de afeitar
shawl el chal
she ella
sheet la sábana; (of paper) la hoja
shell la concha
shellfish mariscos
sherry el jerez
ship el barco
shirt la camisa
shoelaces los cordones de los zapatos
shoe polish la crema de zapatos
shoes los zapatos
shoe store la zapatería
shopping la compra; *to go shopping* ir de compras
short corto; (height) bajo
shorts los pantalones cortos
shoulder el hombro
shower (bath) la ducha; (rain) el chaparrón
shower gel el gel de ducha
shrimp las quisquillas, las gambas
shutter (camera) el obturador; (window) el postigo
sick: I feel sick tengo náuseas; *to be sick* (vomit) devolver
side (edge) el borde
side lights las luces de posición
sights: the sights of ... los lugares de interés de ...
sightseeing el turismo
silk la seda
silver (metal) la plata; (color) plateado
simple sencillo
sing cantar
single (ticket) de ida; (only) único; (unmarried) soltero/soltera
single room la habitación individual
sink el fregadero
sister la hermana
six seis
sixteen dieciséis
sixty sesenta
skid patinar
skiing: to go skiing ir a esquiar
skin cleanser la leche limpiadora
ski resort la estación de esquí
skirt la falda
skis los esquís
sky el cielo
sleep el sueño; (verb) dormir
sleeper car el coche-cama
sleeping bag el saco de dormir
sleeping pill el somnífero
sleeve la manga
slip (underwear) la combinacíon
slippers las zapatillas
slow lento
small pequeño
smell el olor; (verb) oler
smile la sonrisa; (verb) sonreír
smoke el humo; (verb) fumar
snack la comida ligera
snow la nieve
so: so good tan bueno; *not so much* no tanto
soaking solution (for contact lenses) la solución limpiadora
soap el jabón
soccer el fútbol; (ball) el balón
socks los calcetines
soda water la soda
sofa el sofa
soft blando
soil la tierra
somebody alguien
somehow de algún modo
something algo
sometimes a veces
somewhere en alguna parte
son el hijo
song la canción
sorry! ¡perdón!; *I'm sorry* perdón/lo siento; *sorry?* (pardon) ¿cómo dice?
soup la sopa
south el sur

South America Sudamérica
souvenir el recuerdo
spade la pala
spades (cards) las picas
Spain España
Spaniard el español/la española
sparkling water el agua con gas
speak hablar; *do you speak ...?* ¿habla ...?; *I don't speak ...* no hablo ...
speed la velocidad
speed limit el límite de velocidad
spider la araña
spinach las espinacas
spoon la cuchara
sports el deporte
spring (mechanical) el muelle; (season) la primavera
square (in town) la plaza; (adj) cuadrado
staircase la escalera
stairs las escaleras
stamp el sello
stapler la grapadora
star la estrella
start (beginning) el principio; (verb) empezar
starters los entrantes
statement la declaración
station la estación
statue la estatua
steak el filete
steal robar; *it's been stolen* lo han robado
steamed al vapor
steamer (boat) el vapor
stepdaughter la hijastra
stepfather el padastro
stepmother la madastra
stepson el hijastro
still water el agua sin gas
stockings las medias
stomach el estómago
stomach-ache el dolor de estómago
stop (bus) la parada; (verb) parar; *stop!* ¡alto!
store la tienda
storm la tormenta
stove la cocina
stove fuel el camping-gas
strawberries las fresas
stream (small river) el arroyo
street la calle
string la cuerda
stroller la sillita de ruedas
strong fuerte
student el/la estudiante
stuffy sofocante
stupid estúpido
suburbs las afueras
subway el metro
sugar el azúcar
suit (clothing) el traje; *it suits you* te sienta bien
suitcase la maleta
sun el sol
sunbathe tomar el sol
sunburn la quemadura de sol
Sunday domingo
sunglasses las gafas de sol
sunny: it's sunny hace sol
sunshade la sombrilla
sunstroke la insolación
suntan: to get a suntan broncearse
suntan lotion la loción bronceadora
suntanned bronceado
supermarket el supermercado
supper la cena
supplement el suplemento
suppository el supositorio
sure seguro
surname el apellido
suspenders (clothing) los tirantes
sweat el sudor; (verb) sudar
sweater el jersey
sweatshirt la sudadera
sweet (adj: not sour) dulce
swim (verb) nadar
swimming la natación
swimming pool la piscina
swimming trunks el bañador
swimsuit el bañador, el traje de baño
switch el interruptor
synagogue la sinagoga
syringe la jeringuilla
syrup el jarabe

T

table la mesa
tablet la pastilla
take tomar
take off el despegue
talcum powder los polvos de talco
talk la charla; (verb) hablar
tall alto
tampons los tampones
tangerine la mandarina
tapestry el tapiz
taxi el taxi
taxi stand la parada de taxis
tea el té
teakettle el hervidor de agua
teacher el profesor/la profesora
technician el técnico
telephone el teléfono; (verb) llamar por teléfono
television la televisión
temperature la temperatura; (fever) la fiebre
ten diez
tennis el tenis
tent la tienda
tent peg la estaquilla, la estaca
tent pole el mástil
terminal la terminal
terrace la terraza
test la prueba
than que
thank (verb) agradecer; *thank you* gracias; *thanks* gracias
that ese/esa, eso; *that bus* ese autobús; *that man* ese hombre; *that woman* esa mujer; *what's that?* ¿qué es eso?; *I think that ...* creo que ...; *that one* ése/ésa
the el/la; (plural) los/las
theater el teatro
their: their room su habitación; *their books* sus libros; *it's theirs* es suyo
them: it's for them es para ellos/ellas; *give it to them* déselo
then entonces; (after) después
there allí; *there is/are ...* hay ...; *is/are there ...?* ¿hay ...?
these: these men estos hombres; *these women* estas mujeres; *these are mine* éstos son míos
they ellos/ellas
thick grueso
thief el ladrón
thin delgado
think pensar; *I think so* creo que sí; *I'll think about it* lo pensaré
third tercero
thirsty: I'm thirsty tengo sed
thirteen trece
thirty treinta
this: this one éste/ésta; *this man* este hombre; *this woman* esta mujer; *what's this?* ¿qué es esto?; *this is Mr. ...* éste es el señor ...

those: those men esos hombres; *those women* esas mujeres
thousand mil
throat la garganta
through por
three tres
thumbtack la chincheta
thunderstorm la tormenta
Thursday jueves
ticket (train, etc.) el billete; (theater, etc.) la entrada
ticket office la taquilla
tide la marea
tie la corbata; (verb) atar
tight ajustado
time tiempo; *what's the time?* ¿qué hora es?
tin la hojalata
tip (end) la punta; (money) la propina
tire el neumático
tired cansado
tire iron la llave de las tuercas
tissues los pañuelos de papel
to: to America a América; *to the station* a la estación; *to the doctor* al médico
toast la tostada
tobacco el tabaco
tobacconist el estanco
today hoy
together juntos
toilet el váter
toilet paper el papel higiénico
tomato el tomate
tomato juice el zumo de tomate
tomorrow mañana
tongue la lengua
tonic la tónica
tonight esta noche
too (also) también; (excessively) demasiado
tooth el diente; *back tooth* la muela
toothache el dolor de muelas
toothbrush el cepillo de dientes
toothpaste la pasta dentífrica
tour la excursión
tourist el/la turista
tourist office la oficina de turismo
towel la toalla
tower la torre
town el pueblo
town hall el ayuntamiento
toy el juguete
trade fair la feria
tractor el tractor
traffic el tráfico
traffic jam el atasco
traffic lights el semáforo
trailer la caravana, el remolque
train el tren
trainee el aprendiz
translate traducir
translator el traductor/la traductora
trash can el contendor de basura, el cubo de la basura
travel agency la agencia de viajes
traveler's check el cheque de viaje
tray la bandeja
tree el árbol
truck el camión
trunk (car) el maletero
true cierto; *it's true* es verdad
try intentar
Tuesday martes
tunnel el túnel
turn (left/right) tuerza (a la izquierda/a la derecha)
turn: it's my turn me toca a mí
turn signal el intermitiente
tweezers las pinzas
twelve doce
twenty veinte
two dos
typewriter la máquina de escribir

U

ugly feo
umbrella el paraguas
uncle el tío
under ... debajo de ...
underpants los calzoncillos
understand entender; *I don't understand* no entiendo
underwear la ropa interior
United States Estados Unidos
university la universidad
unleaded sin plomo
until hasta
unusual poco común
up arriba; (upward) hacia arriba
urgent urgente
us: it's for us es para nosotros/nosotras; *give it to us* dénoslo
use el uso; (verb) usar; *it's no use* no sirve de nada
useful útil
usual corriente
usually en general

V

vacancies (rooms) habitaciones libres
vacation las vacaciones
vaccination la vacuna
vacuum cleaner la aspiradora
valley el valle
valve la válvula
vanilla la vainilla
vase el jarrón
veal la (carne de) ternera
vegetables la verdura
vegetarian vegetariano
vehicle el vehículo
very muy; *very much* mucho
vest la camiseta
vet el veterinario
video (tape) la cinta de vídeo; (film) el vídeo
video games los vídeo-juegos
video recorder el (aparato de) vídeo
view la vista
viewfinder el visor de imagen
villa el chalet
village el pueblo
vinegar el vinagre
violin el violín
visit la visita; visitar (verb)
visiting hours las horas de visita
visitor el/la visitante
vitamin pills las vitaminas
vodka el vodka
voice la voz
voicemail la mensajería de voz

W

wait esperar; *wait!* ¡espere!
waiter el camarero; *waiter!* ¡camarero!
waiting room la sala de espera
waitress la camarera; *waitress!* ¡Oiga, por favor!
Wales Gales
walk (stroll) el paseo; (verb) andar; *to go for a walk* ir de paseo
wall la pared; (outside) el muro
wallet la cartera
want (verb) querer
war la guerra
wardrobe el armario

warm caliente; (weather) caluroso
was estaba/era
washing machine la zapatilla
wasp la avispa
watch el reloj; (verb) mirar
water el agua
waterfall la cascada
water heater el calentador (de agua)
wave la ola; (verb) agitar
wavy (hair) ondulado
we nosotros/nosotras
weather el tiempo
website la web site, el sitio web
wedding la boda
Wednesday miércoles
weeds las malas hierbas
week la semana
welcome (adj) bienvenido; (verb) dar la bienvenida; *you're welcome* no hay de qué
wellington boots las botas de agua
Welsh galés/galesa
were: you were (informal singular) eras/estabas; (formal singular) era/estaba; (informal plural) erais/estabais; (formal plural) eran/estaban; *we were* éramos/estábamos; *they were* eran/estaban
west el oeste
wet mojado
what? ¿qué?
wheel la rueda
wheelchair la silla de ruedas
when? ¿cuándo?
where? ¿dónde?
whether si
which? ¿cuál?
whiskey el whisky
white blanco
who? ¿quién?
why? ¿por qué?
wide ancho; *3 meters wide* de tres metros de anchura
wife la mujer
wind el viento
window la ventana
windshield el parabrisas
wine el vino
wine list la carta de vinos
wine merchant el vinatero
wing el ala
with con
without sin
witness el testigo
woman la mujer
wood (material) la madera
wool la lana
word la palabra
work el trabajo; (verb) trabajar; (to function) funcionar
worse peor
worst (el) peor
wrapping paper el papel de envolver; (for presents) el papel de regalo
wrench la llave inglesa
wrist la muñeca
writing paper el papel de escribir
wrong equivocado

X, Y, Z

X-ray department el servicio de radiología
year el año
yellow amarillo
yes sí
yesterday ayer
yet todavía; *not yet* todavía no
yogurt el yogur
you (informal singular) tú; (formal singular) usted; (informal plural, m/f) vosotros/vosotras; (formal plural) ustedes
young joven
your: your book (informal singular) tu libro; (formal singular) su libro; *your shoes* (informal singular) tus zapatos; (formal singular) sus zapato
yours: is this yours? (informal) ¿es tuyo esto?; (formal) ¿es suyo esto?
youth hostel el albergue juvenil
ZIP code el código postal*zipper* la cremallera
zoo el zoo

Dictionary
Spanish *to English*

The gender of Spanish nouns listed here is indicated by the abbreviations "(m)" and "(f)," for masculine and feminine. Plural nouns are followed by the abbreviations "(m pl)" or "(f pl)." Spanish adjectives (adj) vary according to the gender and number of the word they describe, and the masculine form is shown here. In general, adjectives that end in **-o** adopt an **-a** ending in the feminine form, and those that end in **-e** usually stay the same. For the plural form, an **-s** is added.

A

a *to*; a América *to America*; a la estación *to the station*; al médico *to the doctor*; a las tres *at 3 o'clock*
abanico (m) *fan (handheld)*
abierto *open* (adj)
abogado/abogada (m/f) *lawyer*
abrebotellas (m) *bottle opener*
abrelatas (m) *can opener*
abrigo (m) *coat*
abril *April*
abrir *to open*
abuela (f) *grandmother*
abuelo (m) *grandfather*
abuelos (m pl) *grandparents*
aburrido *boring*
acaba de llegar *it's just arrived*
accidente (m) *accident*
aceite (m) *oil*; el aceite de oliva *olive oil*
aceituna (f) *olive*
acelerador (m) *accelerator*
acera (f) *pavement*
acondicionador (m) *conditioner* (hair)
acuerdo: me acuerdo *I remember*; no me acuerdo *I don't remember*
adaptador (m) *adapter*
adelantar *pass* (car)
adiós *goodbye*
aduana (f) *customs*
aerodeslizador (m) *hovercraft*
aeropuerto (m) *airport*
afeitado (m) *shave*; afeitarse *to shave*
after-shave (m) *aftershave*
afueras (f pl) *suburbs*
agencia (f) *agency*
agencia de viajes (f) *travel agency*
agenda (f) *planner*
agitar *to wave*
agosto *August*
agradable *pleasant*
agradecer *to thank*
agua (m) *water*; el agua con gas *sparkling water*; el agua mineral *mineral water*; el agua potable *drinking water*; el agua sin gas *still water*
aguja (f) *needle*
ahora *now*; ¿y ahora qué? *what next?*
aire (m) *air*
aire acondicionado (m) *air conditioning*
ajedrez (m) *chess*
ajo (m) *garlic*
ajustado *tight*
ala (m) *wing*
albañil (m) *handyman, builder*
albaricoque (m) *apricot*
albergue juvenil (m) *youth hostel*
alcachofa (f) *artichoke*
alcohol (m) *alcohol*
alegre *glad*
alemán *German*
Alemania *Germany*
alérgico *allergic*
alfiler (m) *pin*
alfombra (f) *carpet*; *rug*
algo *something*
algodón (m) *cotton, cotton balls*
alguien *somebody*
alguna: en alguna parte *somewhere*
allí *there, over there*
almohada (f) *pillow*
alojamiento (m) *accommodation*
alquilar *to rent*
alto *high, tall, loud*
¡alto! *stop!*
amante (m/f) *lover*
amargo *bitter*
amarillo *yellow*
ambulancia (f) *ambulance*
América *America*
americano/americana (m/f) *American*
amigo/amiga (m/f) *friend*; amigo/amiga por correspondencia (m/f) *pen pal*
amontillado *medium* (sherry)
amor (m) *love*
ampliación (f) *enlargement*
ampolla (f) *blister*
análisis de sangre (m) *blood test*
andar *to walk*
andén (m) *platform*
anfiteatro (m) *lecture theater*
anfitriona (f) *hostess*
anillo (m) *ring* (jewelry)
animal (m) *animal*; los animales de compañía/los animales domésticos *pets*
año (m) *year*
antes de ... *before* ...
anticonceptivo (m) *contraceptive*
anticongelante (m) *antifreeze*
anticuario (m) *antique shop*
antiséptico (m) *antiseptic*
aparcamiento (m) *parking lot*
aparcar *to park*; prohibido aparcar *no parking*
apartamento (m) *apartment*
apellido (m) *surname*
aperitivo (m) *aperitif*

apetito (m) *appetite*
aprender *learn*
aprendiz (m) *trainee*
apretón de manos (m) *handshake*
araña (f) *spider*
árbol (m) *tree*
árbol de levas (m) *camshaft*
arcón (m) *chest* (furniture)
arena (f) *sand*
Argelia *Algeria*
armario (m) *cupboard, wardrobe*
arreglar *repair*
arriba *up*; hacia arriba *upward*
arroyo (m) *stream* (small river)
arroz (m) *rice*
arte (m) *art*
artículos de punto (m pl) *knitwear*
artista (m/f) *artist*
asado *roasted*
ascensor (m) *lift*
asiento (m) *seat*; el asiento infantil *car seat* (for a baby/child)
asistenta (f) *cleaner*
asmático *asthmatic*
aspiradora (f) *vacuum cleaner*
aspirina (f) *aspirin*
atar *to tie*
atasco (m) *traffic jam*
aterrizar *to land*
ático (m) *attic*
atractivo *attractive* (offer)
audífono (m) *hearing aid*
auriculares (m pl) *headphones*
Australia *Australia*
australiano/australiana (m/f) *Australian*
autobús (m) *bus*; autobús del aeropuerto *airport bus*
autocaravana (f) *camper van*
automático *automatic*
autónomo/autónoma (m/f) *self-employed*
autopista (f) *expressway*
avería (f) (car) *breakdown*; he tenido una avería *I've had a breakdown*
aves (f pl) *poultry*
avión (m) *aircraft*
avispa (f) *wasp*
ayer *yesterday*
ayuda (f) *help*
ayudar *to help*
ayuntamiento (m) *town hall*
azúcar (m) *sugar*
azul *blue*

B

bacon (m) *bacon*
bailar *to dance*
baile (m) *dance*
bajarse*to get off* (bus, etc.) ; *to get out*
bajo *low, short*
balandro (m) *sailboat*
balcón (m) *balcony*
Baleares: las (Islas) Baleares *Balearic Islands*
balón (m) *soccer* (ball); el balón de playa *beach ball*
baloncesto (m) *basketball*
bañador (m) *swimsuit, swimming trunks*
banco (m) *bank*
banda (f) *band* (musicians)
bandeja (f) *tray*
bandera (f) *flag*
baño (m) *bathtub, bathroom*; darse un baño *to take a bath*; el traje de baño *swimsuit*
bar (m) *bar* (drinks)
baraja (f) *deck of cards*
barato *inexpensive*
barba (f) *beard*
barbacoa (f) *barbecue*
barca (f) *small boat*; la barca de remos *rowing boat*
barco (m) *boat, ship*
barra de labios (f) *lipstick*
bastante *enough, quite, fairly*
basura (f) *litter, garbage*
batería (f) *battery* (car)
bebé (m) *baby*
beber *to drink*; ¿quiere beber algo? *would you like something to drink?*
bebida (f) *drink*
beige *beige*
beneficios (m pl) *profits*
berenjenas (f pl) *eggplant*
biblioteca (f) *library*
bicicleta (f) *bicycle*; la bicicleta de montaña *mountain bike*
bien *good*; te sienta bien *it suits you*
bienvenido *welcome*
bigote (m) *mustache*
billete (m) *fare, ticket* (train, etc.); billete de ida y vuelta (m) *round-trip ticket*
billete de banco (m) *banknote*
bizcocho (m) *sponge cake*
blanco *white*
blando *soft*
bloc (m) *notepad*
bloque de oficinas (m) *office block*
blusa (f) *blouse*
boca (f) *mouth*
bocadillo (m) *sandwich*
boda (f) *wedding*
bodega (f) *basement*
bolígrafo (m) *ballpoint pen*
bollo (m) *roll* (bread)
bolsa (f) *bag, packet* (candy, chips); la bolsa de basura *garbage bag*; la bolsa de plástico *plastic bag*
bolsillo (m) *pocket*
bolso (m) *handbag*
bombilla (f) *light bulb*
bonito *nice, pretty, attractive* (object)
bordado (m) *embroidery*
borde (m) *edge, border, side*
borracho *drunk*
bosque (m) *forest*
bota (f) *boot*
botas de agua (f pl) *wellington boots*
botella (f) *bottle*
botón (m) *button*
brazo (m) *arm*
bridge (m) *bridge* (game)
británico/británica (m/f) *British*
brocha (f) *paint brush*
broche (m) *brooch*
broma (f) *joke*
bronceado *suntanned*
broncearse *suntan: to get a suntan*
buenas noches *good evening*
buenas tardes *good afternoon*
bueno *good, good to eat, tasty*
buenos días *good morning*
bufanda (f) *scarf*
buzón (m) *mailbox*

C

cabeza (f) *head*
cabina telefónica (f) *phone booth*
cable alargador (m) *extension cord*
cacahuetes (m pl) *peanuts*
cada *every, each*; viente euros cada uno *20 euros each*

café (m) *café, coffee;* el café con leche *coffee with milk;* el café instantáneo *instant coffee;* el café solo *espresso*
caja (f) *box; checkout;* la caja de bombones *box of chocolates;* la caja de cambios *gearbox*
cajero (m) *cashier;* el cajero automático *ATM*
cajetilla (f) *packet* (cigarettes)
calambre (m) *cramp*
calcetines (m pl) *socks*
calculadora (m) *calculator*
calefacción (f) *heating;* la calefacción central *central heating*
calentador (de agua) (m) *water heater*
calidad (f) *quality*
caliente *warm*
callado *quiet* (person)
calle (f) *street;* la calle principal *main road*
caluroso *warm* (weather)
calzoncillos (m pl) *underpants*
cama (f) *bed*
cámara de fotos (f) *camera*
cámara neumática (f) *inner tube*
camarera (f) *waitress*
camarero (m) *waiter;* ¡camarero! *waiter!*
cambiar *to change* (money)
cambiarse *to change* (clothes)
cambio (m) *change* (money); *exchange rate*
camino (m) *path*
camión (m) *truck*
camisa (f) *shirt*
camiseta (f) *vest*
camisón (m) *nightgown*
campana (f) *bell* (church)
camping (m) *campground*
camping-gas (m) *stove fuel*
campo (m) *countryside, field*
Canadá *Canada*
canadiense *Canadian*
canal (m) *canal*
Canarias: las (Islas) Canarias *Canaries*
canción (f) *song*
candado (m) *padlock*
cangrejo (m) *crab*
cansado *tired*
cantar *to sing*
capazo (m) *crib*
capó (m) *hood* (car)
cara (f) *face*
caramelos (m) *candy*
caravana (f) *trailer*
carburador (m) *carburetor*
cardenal (m) *bruise*
cargador (m) *charger*
carne (f) *meat*
carne de cerdo (f) *pork*
carne de vaca (f) *beef*
carnet de conducir (m) *driver's license*
carnicería (f) *butcher shop*
caro *expensive*
carpintero (m) *carpenter*
carretera (f) *road*
carrito (m) *cart*
carta (f) *letter* (mail); *menu*; la carta de vinos (f) *wine list*
cartera (f) *purse, briefcase, wallet*
carterista (m) *pickpocket*
cartero (m) *mail carrier*
casa (f) *house, home;* en casa *at home*
casado *married*
cascada (f) *waterfall*
casi *almost*
cassette (f) *cassette*
castaño *brown* (hair)
castañuelas (f pl) *castanets*
castellano *Castilian*
Castilla *Castile*
castillo (m) *castle*
Cataluña *Catalonia*
catedral (f) *cathedral*
catedrático (m) *professor*
católico *Catholic* (adj)
catorce *fourteen*
cazo (m) *saucepan*
cebo (m) *bait*
cebolla (f) *onion*
ceja (f) *eyebrow*
cementerio (m) *cemetery*
cena (f) *dinner, supper, dinner party*
cenicero (m) *ashtray*
centro (m) *center; downtown;* el centro deportivo *gym;* en el centro *middle: in the middle*
cepillar el pelo *to brush hair*
cepillo (m) *brush* (for cleaning); el cepillo del pelo *hair brush;* el cepillo de dientes *toothbrush*
cerca *near, close*; (f) *fence*
cereza (f) *cherry*
cerilla (f) *match* (light)
cerrado *closed*
cerrar *to close*
cerrojo (m) *bolt* (on door)
certificado (m) *certificate*
cerveza (f) *beer*
césped (m) *lawn*
cesto (m) *basket*
chal (m) *shawl*
chalet (m) *villa*
champiñones (m pl) *mushrooms*
champú (m) *shampoo*
chandal (m) *jogging suit*
chaparrón (m) *shower* (rain)
chaqueta (f) *jacket*
charcutería (f) *delicatessen*
charla (f) *talk*
cheque (m) *check;* el cheque de viaje *traveler's check*
chica (f) *girl*
chicle (m) *chewing gum*
chico (m) *boy*
chimenea (f) *chimney, fireplace*
chincheta (f) *drawing pin*
chiste (m) *joke* (funny story)
chocolate (m) *chocolate*
chuleta (f) *chop* (food)
chupa-chups (m) *lollipop*
ciclismo (m) *cycling*
ciclomotor (m) *moped*
ciego *blind* (cannot see)
cielo (m) *sky*
cien *hundred*
ciencias (f pl) *science*
cierto *true*
cigalas (f pl) *crayfish*
cigarrillo (m) *cigarette*
cinco *five*
cincuenta *fifty*
cine (m) *movie theater*
cinta (f) *cassette*; el cinta de vídeo *video tape*
cinturón (m) *belt*; el cinturón de seguridad *seat belt*
cita (f) *appointment*
ciudad (f) *city, town;* el centro ciudad *downtown*
claro *clear* (water); *light* (adj: not dark)
clase (f) *class; lesson*
clavo (m) *nail* (metal)
claxon (m) *horn* (car)
cliente (m) *client*

cobrador (m) *conductor* (bus)
cobrar *to cash*
cocer *to cook, boil*
cocer al horno *to bake*
coche (m) *car*
coche-cama (m) *sleeper car*
cochecito (m) *baby carriage*
cocina (f) *stove; kitchen*
cocinero/cocinera (m/f) *cook*
coctel (m) *cocktail party*
código *code*; el código de la circulación *highway code*; el código postal *ZIP code*
codo (m) *elbow*
coger *catch*; coger el tren *to catch the train*
cojín (m) *cushion*
col (f) *cabbage*
cola (f) *line*
colada (f) *laundry* (washed)
colcha (f) *bedspread*
colchón (m) *mattress*
colchoneta (f) *air mattress*
colección (f) *collection* (stamps, etc.)
coliflor (f) *cauliflower*
collar (m) *collar* (of animal)
collar (m) *necklace; color*
combinacíon (f) *slip* (underwear)
comedor (m) *dining room*
comer *to eat*
comida (f) *food, meal; lunch*
comida ligera (f) *snack*
comisaría (f) *police station*
como *like*; como éste *like this one*
¿cómo? *how?*; ¿cómo se llama usted? *what's your name?*¿cómo dice? *pardon?, what did you say?*
cómoda (f) *chest of drawers*
compañía aérea (f) *airline*
compartimento (m) *compartment*
completamente *completely*
complicado *complicated*
compra (f) *shopping*
comprar *to buy*
comprendo *I see*
compresas (f pl) *sanitary napkins*
con *with*
coñac (m) *brandy*
concha (f) *shell*
concierto (m) *concert*
concurrido *crowded*
condón (m) *condom*
conducir *to drive*
conductor (m) *driver*
conejo (m) *rabbit*
conferencia (f) *conference*; la sala de conferencias *conference room*
congelador (m) *freezer*
congelados (m pl) *frozen foods*
conocer *to know* (person, place)
conserje (m) *porter* (hotel)
consulado (m) *consulate*
contable (m/f) *accountant*
contendor de basura (m) *trash can*
contento *happy*
contestador automático (m) *answering machine*
contra *against*
contraseña (f) *password*
contrato (m) *contract*
copa (f) *glass* (for drinking)
corazón (m) *heart*
corazones (m pl) *hearts* (cards)
corbata (f) *tie*
corcho (m) *cork*
cordero (m) *lamb*
cordones (de los zapatos) (m pl) *(shoe)laces*
correa (f) *leash*
correcto *right* (correct)
correo (m) *mail*; el correo certificado *registered mail*; el correo electrónico *email*
Correos: (la oficina de) Correos (f) *post office*
correr *to run*
corrida de toros (f) *bullfight*
corriente *ordinary; usual*
cortadura (f) *cut*
cortar *to chop, cut*
cortauñas (m) *nail clippers*
corte de pelo (m) *haircut*
cortina (f) *curtain*
corto *short*
coser *to sew*
cosméticos (m pl) *cosmetics*
costar *to cost*; ¿cuánto cuesta? *what does it cost?*
crema (f) *cream* (lotion)
crema de zapatos (f) *shoe polish*
cremallera (f) *zip*
creo que ... *I think that ...*
crepes (f pl) *pancakes*
crisis nerviosa (f) *nervous breakdown*
cristal (m) *glass* (material)
crucero (m) *cruise*
cuaderno (m) *notebook*
cuadrado *square* (adj)
¿cuál? *which?*
cualquiera de ellos *either of them*
¿cuándo? *when?*
¿cuánto cuesta? *what does it cost?, how much is it?*
¿cuántos años tiene? *how old are you?*
cuarenta *forty*
cuarto (m) *quarter, room*; (adj) *fourth*
cuarto de baño (m) *bathroom*
cuarto de estar (m) *living room, lounge*
cuatro *four*
cubo (m) *bucket*; el cubo de la basura *trash can*
cucaracha (f) *cockroach*
cuchara (f) *spoon*
cuchillas de afeitar (f pl) *razor blades*
cuchillo (m) *knife*
cuello (m) *neck, collar*
cuenco (m) *bowl*
cuenta (f) *bill*
cuerda (f) *string; rope*
cuerno (m) *horn* (animal)
cuero (m) *leather*
cuerpo (m) *body*
cueva (f) *cave*
¡cuidado! *be careful!*
cumpleaños (m) *birthday*
cuna (f) *crib*
cura (m) *priest*
curry (m) *curry*

D

dar *give*; dar la bienvenida *to welcome*
de *of*; de algún modo *somehow*; de ida *single* (ticket)
debajo de *below, under*
decir *say*; ¿qué ha dicho? *what did you say?*; ¿cómo se dice ...? *how do you say ...?*
declaración (f) *statement*
dedo (m) *finger*

delante de *in front of*
...delgado *thin*
demasiado *too* (excessively)
démelo *give it to me*
dentadura postiza (f) *dentures, false teeth*
dentista (m/f) *dentist*
denuncia (f) *police report*
departemento (m) *department*
deporte (m) *sports*
derecho (m) *law, justice*; no hay derecho *it's not fair*; (adj) *right* (not left)
desayuno (m) *breakfast*
descansar *to rest*
descuento (m) *discount*
desmayarse *to faint*
desodorante (m) *deodorant*
despacho (m) *office* (room)
despegue (m) *take off*
despertador (m) *alarm clock*
después *then* (after); después de ... *after* ...
destornillador (m) *screwdriver*
detergente (m) *laundry detergent*
detrás de ... *behind* ...
devolver *to return* (give back); *to be sick* (vomit)
día (m) *day*; el día de fiesta *public holiday*
diabético *diabetic*
diamantes (m pl) *diamonds*
diarrea (f) *diarrhea*
diccionario (m) *dictionary*
diciembre *December*
diecinueve *nineteen*
dieciocho *eighteen*
dieciséis *sixteen*
diecisiete *seventeen*
diente (m) *tooth*
diesel *diesel* (adj: engine)
diez *ten*
diferente *different*
difícil *difficult*
dígame *hello* (on phone)
dinero (m) *money, cash*; no tengo dinero *I have no money*
dirección (f) *address*
director/directora (m/f) *manager* (hotel); *conductor* (orchestra)
disco (m) *record* (music)
disco compacto (m) *CD*
discoteca (f) *nightclub*
diseñador/diseñadora (m/f) *designer*
disponible *available*
distancia *distance*; ¿qué distancia hay a ...? *how far is it to ...?*
distinto *separate, different* (adj); ¡eso es distinto! *that's different!*; quería otro distinto *I'd like a different one*
diversiones (f pl) *entertainment*
divertido; (odd) raro *funny*
divorciado *divorced*
doce *twelve*
documento (m) *document*
dólar (m) *dollar*
dolor (m) *ache, pain*; el dolor de cabeza *headache*; el dolor de estómago *stomachache*; el dolor de muelas *toothache*
domingo *Sunday*
¿dónde? *where?*; ¿dónde está ...? *where is ...?*
dónut (m) *doughnut*
dormir *to sleep*
dormitorio (m) *bedroom*
dos *two*; los dos *both*
ducha (f) *shower* (bath)
dulce *sweet* (adj: not sour)
dunas (f pl) *sand dunes*
durante *during*
duro *hard* (not soft)
duty-free (m) *duty-free shop*

E

echar al correo *to mail*
echar el cerrojo *to bolt*
edificio (m) *building*
edredón (m) *comforter*
eje (m) *axle*
ejecutivo (m) *executive*
ejemplo (m) *example*; por ejemplo *for example*
él *he, him, the* (m); es para él *it's for him*
elástico *elastic*
electricidad (f) *electricity*
electricista (m/f) *electrician*
eléctrico *electric*
ella *she, her, the* (f); es para ella *it's for her*
ellos/ellas *they, them*; es para ellos/ellas *it's for them*
email (m) *email*; la dirección de email *email address*
embajada (f) *embassy*
embarazada *pregnant*
embarazoso *embarrassing*
emergencia (f) *emergency*
empaste (m) *filling* (in tooth)
empezar *to start*
empleado (m) *employee*
empujar *to push*
en *on, at, in*; en inglés *in English*; en el hotel *in the hotel*; en Barcelona *in Barcelona*; en Correos *at the post office*; en su casa *at your place*
encaje (m) *lace*
encantado/encantada (m/f) *pleased to meet you*
encargado (m) *caretaker*
encendedor (m) *lighter*
encendido (m) *ignition*
enchufe (m) *plug* (electrical)
encima de ... *over* ...
encuentro (m) *meeting*; no me encuentro bien *I don't feel well*
enero *January*
enfermo/enferma (m/f) *nurse*
enfrente de *across from*; enfrente del hotel *across from the hotel*
¡enhorabuena! *congratulations!*
ensalada (f) *salad*
entender *to understand*; *I don't understand* no entiendo
entonces *then, so*
entrada (f) *entrance, ticket* (theater, etc.)
entrantes (m pl) *starters*
entre ... *between* ...
entrega (f) *delivery*
enviar por fax *to fax*
epiléptico *epileptic*
equipaje (m) *luggage*; el equipaje de mano *carry-on luggage*
equipo de música (m) *music system*
equivocación (f) *mistake*
equivocado *wrong*
era *you were* (formal): *it/he/she was*
éramos *we were*
eran *they were*
eras *you were* (informal)
eres *you are* (informal)
es *you are* (formal)
es *it/he/she is*
escalera (f) *staircase*; la escalera mecánica *escalator*; las escaleras *stairs*
escarcha (f) *frost*

escocés/escocesa (m/f) *Scottish*
Escocia *Scotland*
escopeta (f) *gun* (rifle)
escuela (f) *school*
ese/esa *that*; ese autobús *that bus*; ese hombre *that man*; esa mujer *that woman*; ¿qué es eso? *what's that?*
ése/ésa *that, that one*;
esmalte de uñas (m) *nail polish*
esos/esas *those, those ones*; esos hombres *those men*; esas mujeres *those women*
espalda (f) *back* (body)
España *Spain*
español/española (m/f) *Spanish, Spaniard*
especialidad (f) *field of study*
espejo (m) *mirror*
esperar *to wait*; ¡espere! *wait!*
espinacas (f pl) *spinach*
espuma de afeitar (f) *shaving foam*
espuma moldeadora (f) *mousse* (for hair)
esquina (f) *corner* (of street)
esquís (m pl) *skis*
está *you are* (formal)
está *it/he/she is*
esta noche *tonight*
estaba *it/he/she was*; *you were* (formal)
estábamos *we were*
estaban *they were*
estabas *you were* (informal)
estaca (f) *tent peg*
estación (f) *station*; la estación de autobuses *bus station*; la estación de esquí *ski resort*; la estación de metro *metro station*
Estados Unidos *United States*
estamos *we are*
están *they are*
estanco (m) *tobacconist*
estaquilla (f) *tent peg*
estás *you are* (informal)
estatua (f) *statue*
este *east*; el Este *the East*
éste/ésta *this, this one*; este hombre *this man*; esta mujer *this woman*; ¿qué es esto? *what's this?*; éste es el señor ... *this is Mr. ...*
estómago (m) *stomach*
estos/estas *these, these ones*; estos hombres *these men*; estas mujeres *these women*; éstos son míos *these are mine*
estoy *I am*
estrecho *narrow* (adj)
estrella (f) *star*
estudiante (m/f) *student*
estufa (f) *heater*
estúpido *stupid*
etiqueta (f) *label*
evidente *clear* (obvious)
excelente *excellent*
exceso de equipaje (m) *excess baggage*
excursión (f) *excursion, tour*
exposición (f) *exhibition*
externa *external*
extintor (m) *fire extinguisher*
extranjero/extranjera (m/f) *foreigner*

F

fácil *easy*
factor de protección (m) *protection factor (SPF)*
factura (f) *invoice*
facturación (f) *check-in*
facturar *to check in*
falda (f) *skirt*
falta: no hace falta *there's no need*
familia (f) *family*
fan (m) *fan* (enthusiast)
fantástico *fantastic*
farmacia (f) *pharmacy*
faros (m pl) *headlights*
fax (m) *fax*
febrero *February*
¡felicidades! *happy birthday!*
feliz *happy*
feo *ugly*
feria (f) *fair, trade fair*
ferretería (f) *hardware store*
ferrocarril (m) *railroad*
ferry (m) *ferry*
fiebre (f) *temperature, fever*; la fiebre del heno *hay fever*
fiesta (f) *party* (celebration)
filete (m) *steak*
filtro (m) *filter*
fin (m) *end*; ¡por fin! *at last!*
final (m) *end*
fino *dry* (sherry)
flash (m) *flash* (camera)
flauta (f) *flute*
flequillo (m) *bangs* (hair)
flexo (m) *swing-armlamp*
flor (f) *flower*
folleto (m) *brochure, leaflet*
fonda (f) *inn*
fondo (m) *bottom*
fontanero/fontanera (m/f) *plumber*
foto(grafía) (f) *photograph*
fotocopiadora (f) *photocopier*
fotografiar *to photograph*
fotógrafo (m) *photographer*
fotómetro (m) *light meter*
frambuesa (f) *raspberry*
francés *French*
Francia *France*
fregadero (m) *sink*
freír *to fry*
frenar *to brake*
freno (m) *brake*; el freno de emergencia *emergency brake*; el freno de mano *handbrake*
fresas (f pl) *strawberries*
fresco *cool*
frigorífico (m) *refrigerator*
frío *cold* (adj); *I'm cold* tengo frío
frito *fried*
frontera (f) *border* (between countries)
fruta (f) *fruit*
fuego (m) *fire*; los fuegos artificiales *fireworks*
fuel-oil *diesel* (oil)
fuente (f) *fountain*
fuera *outside*
fuerte *strong*
fumar *to smoke*
funcionar *to work* (function)
fútbol (m) *soccer* (game)

G

gabardina (f) *raincoat*
gafas (f pl) *glasses*; las gafas de sol *sunglasses*
galería de arte (f) *art gallery*
Gales *Wales*
galés/galesa *Welsh*
galleta (f) *cookie*
gambas (f pl) *shrimp*
ganga (f) *bargain*
garage (m) *garage* (for parking)
garantía (f) *guarantee*
garantizar *to guarantee*
garganta (f) *throat*
gas para el encendedor (m) *lighter fuel*
gasolina (f) *gasoline*

gasolinera (f) *gas station*
gato (m) *cat*
gay *gay* (homosexual)
gel (m) *gel* (hair); el gel de ducha *shower gel*
gemelos (m pl) *cuff links*
general: en general *usually*
gente (f) *people*
gerente (m/f) *manager*
Gibraltar *Gibraltar*
ginebra (f) *gin*
gobierno (m) *government*
Golfo de Vizcaya (m) *Bay of Biscay*
goma (f) *rubber band*; *rubber* (material)
goma de borrar (f) *eraser*
gordo *fat* (adj)
gorra (f) *cap* (hat)
gorro (m) *woollen hat*
gotas (f pl) *drops*
gracias *thank you*
Gran Bretaña *Great Britain*
grande *big, large*
grandes almacenes (m pl) *department store*
granja (f) *farm*
granjero (m) *farmer*
grapadora (f) *stapler*
grasa (f) *fat* (meat, etc.)
gratis *free* (no charge)
grifo (m) *faucet*
gris *gray*
gritar *to shout*
grosellas negras (f pl) *black currants*
grueso *thick*
grupo (m) *party* (group)
guantes (m pl) *gloves*
guapo *attractive, beautiful, handsome* (person)
guerra (f) *war*
guía (m/f) *guide*; la guía telefónica *phone book*; la guía turística *guide book*
guisantes (m pl) *peas*
guisar *to cook*
guitarra (f) *guitar*
gustar *like*: me gusta ... *I like* ...; me gusta nadar *I like swimming*

H

habitación (f) *room*; la habitación doble *double room*; la habitación individual *single room*; habitaciones libres *vacancies*
hablar *to talk*; ¿habla ...? *do you speak ...?*; no hablo ... *I don't speak ...*
hacer *to do, make*; hacer auto-stop *to hitchhike*; hacer footing *to jog*; hacer punto *to knit*; hacer transbordo *to change* (trains, etc.); hace sol *it's sunny*
hacha (m) *axe*
hacia abajo *down*
hambre *hungry*; tengo hambre *I'm hungry*
hamburguesa (f) *hamburger*
hámster (m) *hamster*
harina (f) *flour*
hasta *until*
hay... *there is/are...* ; ¿hay ...? *is/are there ...?*
helado (m) *ice cream*
hepatitis (f) *hepatitis*
herida (f) *injury*
hermana (f) *sister*
hermano (m) *brother*
hervido *boiled*
hervidor de agua (m) *teakettle*
hervir *to boil* (water)
hidroaleta (f) *hydrofoil*
hielo (m) *ice*
hierba (f) *grass*
hierro (m) *iron* (material)
hígado (m) *liver*
higo (m) *fig*
hija (f) *daughter*
hijastra (f) *stepdaughter*
hijastro (m) *stepson*
hijo (m) *son*
hincha (m) *soccer fan*
historia (f) *history*
hobby (m) *hobby*
hoguera (f) *campfire*
hoja (f) *leaf, sheet* (of paper)
hojalata (f) *tin*
hola *hello*
hombre (m) *man*
hombro (m) *shoulder*
homeopatía (f) *homeopathy*
honrado *honest*
hora (f) *hour*; ¿qué hora es? *what's the time?*
horario (m) *schedule*; el horario de apertura *opening times*
horca (f) *garden fork*
horno (m) *oven*
horrible *awful, horrible*
hospital (m) *hospital*
hoy *today*
hueso (m) *bone*
huevo (m) *egg*
húmedo *damp*
humo (m) *smoke*

I

idioma (m) *language*
iglesia (f) *church*
imperdible (m) *safety pin*
imposible *impossible*
impreso de solicitud (m) *application form*
impresora (f) *printer*
incendio (m) *fire* (blaze)
incluido *included*
indigestión *indigestion*
infección (f) *infection*
información (f) *information*
informe (m) *report*
ingeniería (f) *engineering*
Inglaterra *England*
inglés/inglesa *English*
inhalador (m) *inhaler* (for asthma, etc.)
inmediatamente *immediately*
insecto (m) *insect*
insolación (f) *sunstroke*
insomnio (m) *insomnia*
instrumento musical (m) *musical instrument*
intentar *to try*
interesante *interesting*
intermitiente (m) *turn signal*
internet (m) *Internet*
interpretar *to interpret*
intérprete (m/f) *interpreter*
interruptor (m) *switch*
intoxicación alimenticia (f) *food poisoning*
invitación (f) *invitation*
invitada (f) *guest*
inyección (f) *injection*
ir *to go*; ir a esquiar *to go skiing*; ir de compras *to go shopping*
Irlanda *Ireland*; Irlanda del Norte *Northern Ireland*
irlandés/irlandesa *Irish*
isla (f) *island*
Italia *Italy*
italiano/italiana (m/f) *Italian*
izquierdo *left* (not right)

J

jabón (m) *soap*; el jabón de lavadora *laundry detergent*
jamón (m) *ham*
jarabe (m) *syrup*
jardín (m) *garden*
jarrita (f) *mug*
jarrón (m) *vase*
jaula (f) *cage*

jazz (m) *jazz*
jefe (m) *manager*
jengibre (m) *ginger* (spice)
jerez (m) *sherry*
jeringuilla (f) *syringe*
jersey (m) *sweater*
joven *young*
joyería (f) *jeweler*
judías (f pl) *beans*
jueves *Thursday*
jugar *to play*
juguete (m) *toy*
julio *July*
junio *June*
junto a *near*; junto a la puerta *near the door*; junto a la ventana *near the window*
juntos *together*

K, L

kilo (m) *kilo*
kilómetro (m) *kilometer*
kiosko de periódicos (m) *newsstand*
la (f) *the*
laca (f) *hairspray*
lado de (f) *beside*
ladrón (m) *thief*
lago (m) *lake*
lámpara (f) *lamp*
lamparilla de noche (f) *bedside lamp*
lana (f) *wool*
langosta (f) *lobster*
lápiz (m) *pencil*
largo *long*
las (f pl) *the*
lata (f) *can* (tin)
lavabo (m) *basin* (sink)
lavandería automática (f) *laundromat*
lavavajillas (m) *dishwasher*
laxante (m) *laxative*
leche (f) *milk*; la leche limpiadora *cleansing milk* (for skin)
lechuga (f) *lettuce*
leer *to read*
lejía *bleach*
lejos *far, far away*
lengua (f) *tongue*
lente (f) *lens*; las lentes de contacto *contact lenses*; las lentes de contacto semi-rígidas *gas-permeable lenses*
lento *slow*
letra (f) *letter* (of alphabet)
levantarse *to get up* (rise)
libra (f) *pound* (sterling)
libre *free* (not engaged)
libre de impuestos *duty-free*
libro (m) *book*; el libro de frases *phrase book*
licor (m) *liqueur*
ligero *light* (adj: not heavy)
lima (f) *lime* (fruit)
lima de uñas (f) *nailfile*
límite de velocidad (m) *speed limit*
limón (m) *lemon*
limonada (f) *lemonade*
limpio *clean* (adj)
línea (f) *line* (phone, etc.)
linterna (f) *flashlight*
listo *clever*; *ready*
literatura (f) *literature*
litro (m) *liter*
llamar por teléfono *to telephone*
llave (f) *key*; la llave de las tuercas *tire iron*; la llave inglesa *wrench*
llegar *to arrive*
lleno *crowded, full*; estoy lleno *I'm full*
llorar *to cry* (weep)
lluvia (f) *rain*
lo/la *it*
lo antes posible *as soon as possible*
loción *lotion* (f); la loción anti-mosquitos *insect repellent lotion*; la loción bronceadora *suntan lotion*
loco *crazy*
lona impermeable (f) *groundsheet*
longitud (f) *length*
los (m pl) *the*
lo siento *I'm sorry*
luces de posición (f pl) *side lights*
lugar (m) *place, sight*; los lugares de interés de ... *the sights of ...*
luna (f) *moon*
lunes *Monday*
luz (f) *light*

M

madastra (f) *stepmother*
madera (f) *wood* (material)
madre (f) *mother*
maduro *ripe*
malas hierbas (f pl) *weeds*
maleta (f) *suitcase*
maletero (m) *trunk* (car)
Mallorca *Majorca*
malo *bad, poor* (quality)
mama *Mum*
mañana *tomorrow*
mañana (f) *morning*; por la mañana *in the morning*
mandar *to send*
mandarina (f) *tangerine*
manga (f) *sleeve*
mano (f) *hand*
manta (f) *blanket, rug*
mantequilla (f) *butter*
manzana (f) *apple*
mapa (m) *map*
maquillaje (m) *make-up*
maquina cortacésped (f) *lawn mower*
máquina de escribir (f) *typewriter*
máquina de fotos (f) *camera*
mar (m) *sea*
marea (f) *tide*
mareado *faint, dizzy*
margarina (f) *margarine*
marido (m) *husband*
mariscos (m pl) *seafood, shellfish*
mármol (m) *marble*
marrón *brown*
Marruecos *Morocco*
martes *Tuesday*
martillo (m) *hammer*
marzo *March*
más *more*; más de ... *more than ...* ; más tarde *later*; algo más *something else*; alguien más *someone else*
mástil (m) *tent pole*
matrícula (f) *license plate*
mayo *may*
mecánico (m) *mechanic*
media pensión *half board*
medianoche *midnight*
medias (f pl) *pantyhose, stockings*
medicina (f) *medicine*
médico/médica (m/f) *doctor*
medio *half*; media hora *half an hour*
mediodía (m) *noon*
Mediterráneo: el Mediterráneo *Mediterranean*
medusa (f) *jellyfish*
mejillones (m pl) *mussels*
mejor *best/better*
melocotón (m) *peach*
melón (m) *melon*
menos *less*
mensaje (m) *message*
mensajería de voz (f) *voicemail*
menú (del día) (m) *set menu*
menudo: a menudo *often*
mercado (m) *market*
mermelada (f) *jam*; la mermelada de naranja *marmalade*

mes (m) *month*
mesa (f) *table*; la mesa de escritorio *desk*
mesilla de noche (f) *nightstand*
metro (m) *subway*
mi(s) *my*; mi libro *my book*; mis llaves *my keys*
microondas (m) *microwave*
miel (f) *honey*
miércoles *Wednesday*
mil *thousand*
minusválido *disabled*
minuto (m) *minute*
mío *mine*; es mío *it's mine*
mirar *to watch*
misa (f) *mass* (church)
mismo *same*; el mismo vestido *the same dress*; la misma gente *the same people*; lo mismo otra vez, por favor *same again, please*
mochila (f) *backpack*
moda (f) *fashion*
modem (m) *modem*
mojado *wet*
moneda (f) *coin*
monedero (m) *purse*
monitor (m) *monitor*
montaña (f) *mountain*
monte (m) *hill*
monumento (m) *monument*
morado *purple*
moras (f pl) *blackberries*
mordedura (f) *bite* (dog)
morder *to bite* (dog)
morir *to die*
mosaico (m) *mosaic*
mosca (f) *fly* (insect)
mosquito (m) *mosquito*
mostaza (f) *mustard*
mostrador (m) *countertop*; el mostrador de facturación *check-in desk*
motocicleta (f) *motorcycle*
motor (m) *engine* (motor)
motora (f) *motorboat*
mover *to move* (something); moverse *move oneself*; ¡no se mueva! *don't move!*
mucho *much/many, a lot*; mucho mejor *much better*; mucho más despacio *much slower*; no muchos *not many*
mudarse (de casa) *to move* (house)
muebles (m pl) *furniture*
muela (f) *back tooth*
muelle (m) *dock*; *spring* (mechanical)
muerto *dead*
mujer (f) *woman, wife*
muletas (f pl) *crutches*
muñeca (f) *wrist*
muro (m) *wall* (outside)
museo (m) *museum*
música (f) *music*; la música clásica *classical music*; la música folklórica *folk music*; la música pop *pop music*
músico (m) *musician*
muy *very*

N

nací en ... *I was born in* ...
nada *nothing*; no queda nada *there's nothing left*; no sirve de nada *it's no use*
nadar *to swim*
nadie *nobody*
naranja (f) *orange* (fruit); *orange* (adj)
nariz (f) *nose*
nata (f) *cream* (dairy)
natación (f) *swimming*
náuseas *sick*; tengo náuseas *I feel sick*
navaja (f) *penknife*
navidad (f) *Christmas*
necesario *necessary*
necesito ... *I need* ...
negar *to deny*
negativo (m) *negative* (photo)
negocio (m) *business*
negro *black*
neozelandés/neozelandesa *New Zealander*
neumático (m) *tire*
ni ... ni ... *neither* ... *nor* ...
niebla (f) *fog*
nieta (f) *granddaughter*
nieto (m) *grandson*
nieve (f) *snow*
ninguno/ninguna: ninguno de ellos *neither of them*; en ninguna parte *nowhere*
niño/niña *child* (m/f); los niños *children*; el niño pequeño *baby*
no *no* (response), *not*; no hay de qué *you're welcome*; no importa *it doesn't matter*; no es/está ... *(s)he's not* ...
noche (f) *night*
nombre (m) *name*; el nombre de pila *first name*
norte (m) *north*
nosotros/nosotras *we, us*; es para nosotros/nosotras *it's for us*
noticias (f pl) *news*
novela (f) *novel*
noventa *ninety*
novia (f) *girlfriend*
noviembre *November*
novio (m) *boyfriend*
nudista (m/f) *nudist*
nuestro *our*; es nuestro *it's ours*
Nueva Zelanda *New Zealand*
nueve *nine*
nuevo *new*
nuez (f) *nut* (fruit)
número (m) *number*; los números *figures*
nunca *never*

O

o *or*; o bien ... o ... *either* ... *or* ...
obra de teatro (f) *play* (theater)
obturador (m) *shutter* (camera)
Océano Atlántico (m) *Atlantic Ocean*
ochenta *eighty*
ocho *eight*
octubre *October*
oculista (m/f) *optician*
ocupado *busy* (phone); *occupied*
oeste (m) *west*
oficina (f) *office* (place); *branch* (of company); la oficina de objetos perdidos *lost property office*; la oficina de turismo *tourist office*
oído (m) *(inner) ear*
¡oiga, por favor! *excuse me!* (to get attention); *waiter/waitress!*
oír *to hear*
ojo (m) *eye*
ola (f) *wave*
oler *to smell*
olivo (m) *olive tree*
olor (m) *smell*
oloroso *sweet* (sherry)
olvidar *to forget*
once *eleven*
ondulado *wavy* (hair)
operación (f) *operation*
operadora (f) *operator*
oporto (m) *port* (drink)
orden del día (m) *agenda*
ordenador (m) *computer*
oreja *ear* (f)
órgano (m) *organ* (music)
oro (m) *gold*

orquesta (f) *orchestra*
oscuro *dark*; azul oscuro *dark blue*
ostra (f) *oyster*
otra vez *again*
otro *another*; *other*; el otro *the other one*; en otro sitio *somewhere else*

P

padastro (m) *stepfather*
padre (m) *father*; los padres *parents*
pagar *to pay*; pagar al contado *to pay cash*
página (f) *page*
pago (m) *payment*
país (m) *country* (state)
pájaro (m) *bird*
pala (f) *spade*
palabra (f) *word*
palacio (m) *palace*
palanca de velocidades (f) *gear stick*
pálido *pale*
pan (m) *bread*
panadería (f) *bread shop*
pañal (m) *diaper*; los pañales desechables *disposable diapers*
paño de cocina (m) *dish cloth*
pantalla (f) *lampshade, screen*
pantalón (m) *pants, trousers*; los pantalones cortos *shorts*
pantis (m pl) *pantyhose*
pañuelo (m) *headscarf*; los pañuelos de papel *tissues*
papá *dad*
papel (m) *paper*; el papel de envolver/regalo *wrapping paper*; el papel de escribir *writing paper*; el papel higiénico *toilet paper*; los papeles de filtro *filter papers*
paquete (m) *package, packet, parcel*
par (m) *pair*
para *for*; es para mí *it's for me*; para el viernes *by Friday*; ¿para qué? *what for?*; para una semana *for a week*
parabrisas (m) *windshield*
parachoques (m) *bumper*
parada (f) *stop* (bus); la parada de taxis *taxi stand*
parafina (f) *kerosene*
paraguas (m) *umbrella*
parar *to stop*
pared (f) *wall* (inside)
pariente (m) *relative*
parque (m) *park*
parrilla (f) *grill*
parte de atrás (f) *back* (not front)
parterre (m) *flowerbed*
partido (m) *match* (sports); *party* (political)
pasajero (m) *passenger*
pasaporte (m) *passport*; el pasaporte de animales *pet passport*
pasas (f pl) *raisins*
paseo (m) *walk, stroll*; ir de paseo *to go for a walk*
pasillo (m) *aisle, corridor*
paso elevado (m) *overpass*
pasta (f) *pasta*
pasta dentífrica (f) *toothpaste*
pastel (m) *cake* (small)
pastelería (f) *bakery*
pastilla (f) *pill, tablet*; las pastillas de menta *peppermints*; las pastillas para la garganta *cough drops*
patata (f) *potato*; las patatas fritas *french fries, chips*
patinar *to skid*
patines para hielo (m pl) *ice skates*
peatón (m) *pedestrian*
pecho (m) *chest* (part of body)
pedazo (m) *piece*
pedido (m) *order*
pegamento (m) *adhesive, glue*
peinar *to comb*
peine (m) *comb*
película (f) *film, movie*; la película en color *color film*
peligroso *dangerous*
pelo (m) *hair*
pelota (f) *ball*
peluquería (f) *hairdresser*; la peluquería de caballeros *barber*
pendientes (m pl) *earrings*
pensar *to think*; lo pensaré *I'll think about it*
pensión completa *full board*
peor *worse, worst*
pepino (m) *cucumber*
pequeño *little, small*
pera (f) *pear*
percha (f) *coat hanger*
¡perdón! *sorry!, excuse me!* (when sneezing, etc.)
perejil (m) *parsley*
perezoso *lazy*
perfecto *perfect*
perfume (m) *perfume*
periódico (m) *newspaper*
perla (f) *pearl*
permanente (f) *perm*
permiso (m) *license*
pero *but*
perro (m) *dog*
persianas (f pl) *blinds*
pesado *heavy*
pesca (f) *fishing*
pescadería (f) *fishmonger*
pescado (m) *fish* (food)
pescar: ir a pescar *to go fishing*
pez (m) *fish* (animal)
piano (m) *piano*
picadura (f) *bite* (by insect)
picaporte (m) *handle* (door)
picar *to bite* (insect)
picas (f pl) *spades* (cards)
picnic (m) *picnic*
pie (m) *foot*
pierna (f) *leg*
pijama (m) *pajamas*
pila (f) *battery* (flashlight, etc.)
piloto (m) *pilot*
pimienta (f) *pepper* (spice)
pimiento (m) *pepper* (red, green)
pin (m) *PIN*
piña (f) *pineapple*
pinchazo (m) *puncture*
pino (m) *pine* (tree)
pintor (m) *decorator*
pintura (f) *paint*
pinza (f) *peg*; las pinzas *tweezers*
pipa (f) *pipe* (for smoking)
Pirineos: los Pirineos *Pyrenees*
piscina (f) *swimming pool*; la piscina municipal *public swimming pool*
piso (m) *apartment*; *floor* (story)
pista (f) *runway*
pistola (f) *gun* (pistol)
piston (m) *piston*
pizza (f) *pizza*
plancha (f) *iron* (for clothes); a la plancha *grilled*
planchar *to iron*

plano (m) *town map, town plan*; (adj) *flat, level*
planta (f) *plant*
planta baja (f) *ground floor*
plástico (m) *plastic*; el plástico para envolver *plastic wrap*
plata (f) *silver* (metal)
plátano (m) *banana*
plateado *silver* (color)
platillo (m) *saucer*
plato (m) *plate*; el plato principal *main course*; los platos preparados *prepared meals*
playa (f) *beach*
plaza (f) *site, square* (in town); la plaza de toros *bullring*
pluma (f) *pen*; la pluma estilográfica *fountain pen*
pobre *poor* (not rich)
poco *a little*; poco común *unusual*; poco hecho/pasado *rare* (steak)
poder *to be able*
policía (f) *police*
policía (m) *police officer*
política (f) *politics*
pollo (m) *chicken*
polvo (m) *powder*; los polvos *make-up powder*; los polvos de talco *talcum powder*
pomada (f) *ointment*
poner *to put*; ¿me pone ...? *can I have ...?*
poquito *a little*; sólo un poquito *just a little*
por *through, by, per*; por avión *by air mail*; por la noche *at night*; por noche *per night*; por todas partes *everywhere*
porcelana (f) *china(wear)*
por favor *please*
¿por qué? *why?*
porque *because*
portero (m) *caretaker*
Portugal *Portugal*
portugués *Portuguese*
posible *possible*
postal (f) *postcard*
póster (m) *poster*
postigo (m) *shutter* (window)
postre (m) *dessert*
precio (m) *price*; el precio de entrada (m) *admission charge*
precioso *beautiful* (object)
preferir *to prefer*
pregunta (f) *question*
presupuesto (m) *budget, estimate*
primavera (f) *spring* (season)
primer piso (m) *first floor*
primero *first*; de primera *first class*; primeros auxilios *first aid*
primo (m) *cousin*
prima (f) *cousin*
principiante (m/f) *beginner*
principio (m) *start, beginning*
prisa: tengo prisa *I'm in a hurry*
privado *private*
problema (m) *problem*
producto (m) *product*; los productos de belleza *beauty products*; los productos del hogar *household products*; los productos lácteos *dairy products*
profesión (f) *profession*
profesor/profesora (m/f) *teacher*
profesor/profesora de universidad (m/f) *professor* (university)
profundo *deep*
programa (m) *schedule*
prohibido *prohibited*
prometida (f) *fiancée*
prometido (m) *fiancé*
prometido/prometida (m/f) *engaged* (to be married)
propina (f) *tip* (money)
próximo *next*
prudente *careful*
prueba (f) *test*
público *public*
pueblo (m) *small town, village*
¿puede ...? *can you ...?*
puedo *I can*; no puedo *I can't*
puente (m) *bridge*
puerta (f) *door, gate*; la puerta de embarque *departure gate*
puerto (m) *harbor, port*
pulga (f) *flea*
pulpo (m) *octopus*
pulsera (f) *bracelet*
punta (f) *tip* (end)
puro (m) *cigar*

Q

que *than*
¿qué? *what?*
quemadura (f) *burn*
quemadura de sol (f) *sunburn*
quemar *to burn*
querer *to want, love*
querido *dear* (person)
queso (m) *cheese*
¿qué tal? *how are you?*
¿quién? *who?*
quinze *fifteen*
quirófano (m) *operating room*
quisquillas (f pl) *shrimp*
quizás *maybe, perhaps*

R

rábano (m) *radish*
radiador (m) *radiator*
radio (f) *radio*
rápido *fast, quick*
raro *rare* (uncommon)
rastrillo (m) *rake*
rata (f) *rat*
ratón (m) *mouse*
raya (f) *part* (hair)
rebajas (f pl) *sale* (at reduced prices)
rebeca (f) *cardigan sweater*
recado (m) *message*
recepción (f) *reception*
recepcionista (m/f) *receptionist*
receta (f) *prescription*
recibo (m) *receipt*
recobrar algo *to get something back*
recogida (f) *pickup* (postal)
récord (m) *record* (sports, etc.)
recuerdo (m) *souvenir*
redondo *round* (circular)
regalo (m) *gift*; el regalo de cumpleaños *birthday present*
regla (f) *ruler* (for measuring)
reír *to laugh*
rejilla de equipajes (f) *luggage rack*
relajarse *to relax*
religión (f) *religion*
relleno (m) *filling* (in sandwich, cake)
reloj (m) *clock, watch*
remar *to row*
remolque (m) *trailer*
remos (m pl) *oars*
resaca (f) *hangover*
reserva (f) *reservation*
reservar *to book*
resfriado (m) *cold* (illness); tengo un resfriado *I have a cold*
respirar *to breathe*
restaurante (m) *restaurant*
resto (m) *rest, remainder*

retrasado *delayed*; el autobús se ha retrasado *the bus is late*
reunión (f) *meeting*
revelar *to develop* (film)
revista (f) *magazine*
rico *rich*
rímel (m) *mascara*
rincón (m) *corner* (of room)
riñón (m) *kidney*
río (m) *river*
rizos (m pl) *curls*
robar *steal*; lo han robado *it's been stolen*
robo (m) *robbery*
roca (f) *rock* (stone)
rock (m) *rock* (music)
rodilla (f) *knee*
rojo *red*
ron (m) *rum*
ropa (f) *clothes*; la ropa de cama (f) *bed linen*; la ropa interior *underwear*; la ropa sucia *laundry* (dirty)
rosa (adj) *pink*
rosa (f) *rose*
roto *broken*
rotonda (f) *roundabout*
rotulador (m) *felt-tip pen*
roulotte (f) *camper trailer*
rubí (m) *ruby* (stone)
rubio *blond(e)* (adj)
rueda (f) *wheel*; la rueda pinchada *flat tire*
rugby (m) *rugby*
ruidoso *noisy*
ruinas (f pl) *ruins*
rulos (m pl) *curlers*

S

sábado *Saturday*
sábana (f) *sheet* (bedding)
saber *to know* (fact); no sé *I don't know*
sabor (m) *flavor*
sacacorchos (m) *corkscrew*
sacapuntas (m) *pencil sharpener*
sacar *to bring out*
saco de dormir (m) *sleeping bag*
sal (f) *salt*
sala de espera (f) *waiting room*
sala de pediatría (f) *children's ward*
salchicha (f) *sausage*
salida (f) *exit, departure*; las salidas *departures*; la salida de emergencia *emergency exit*
salmón (m) *salmon*
salón (m) *lounge* (in hotel)
salsa (f) *sauce*
¡salud! *cheers!* (toast)
sandalias (f pl) *sandals*
sangre (f) *blood*
sartén (f) *frying pan*
sauna (f) *sauna*
secador (de pelo) (m) *hairdryer*
seco *dry*
sed *thirsty*; tengo sed *I'm thirsty*
seda (f) *silk*
segundo (m) *second* (noun; adj); de segunda *second class*
seguro (m) *insurance*; (adj) *sure, safe* (not dangerous)
seis *six*
sello (m) *stamp*
selva *rainforest*
semáforo (m) *traffic lights*
semana (f) *week*; la semana pasada *last week*; la semana que viene *next week*
seminario (m) *seminar*
semi-seco *medium-dry* (wine)
señal (f) *deposit*
sencillo *simple*
senderismo (m) *hiking*
señor *Mr., sir*
señora *Mrs., madam*
señorita *Miss*
separado *separated*
septiembre *September*
ser *to be*
serio *serious*
seropositivo *HIV positive*
servicio (m) *service, department*; el servicio de habitaciones *room service*; el servicio de radiología *X-ray department*; el servicio de urgencias *emergency department*
servicios (m pl) *restrooms*; los servicios de caballeros *men's room*; los servicios de señoras *ladies' room*
servilleta (f) *napkin*
sesenta *sixty*
setas (f pl) *mushrooms*
setenta *seventy*
seto (m) *hedge*
si *if, whether*
sí *yes*
Sida (m) *AIDS*
siempre *always*
siete *seven*
significar: ¿qué significa esto? *what does this mean?*
siguiente *next*
silla (f) *chair*; la silla de ruedas *wheelchair*
sillita de ruedas (f) *stroller*
simpático *friendly*
sin *without*; sin plomo *unleaded*
sinagoga (f) *synagogue*
sitio (m) *room, space*; el sitio web *website*
sobre (m) *envelope*
sobre todo *especially*
sobrina (f) *niece*
sobrino (m) *nephew*
soda (f) *soda water*
sofa (m) *sofa*
sofocante *stuffy*
sol (m) *sun*
solo *alone*; yo solo *by myself*
sólo *just, only*
soltero/soltera (m/f) *single* (unmarried)
solución limpiadora (f) *soaking solution* (for contact lenses)
sombrero (m) *hat*
sombrilla (f) *sunshade*
somnífero (m) *sleeping pill*
somos *we are*
son *they are*
sonreír *to smile*
sonrisa (f) *smile*
sopa (f) *soup*
sordo *deaf*
sostén (m) *bra*
sótano (m) *basement*
soy *I am*; soy de ... *I come from ...*
spray (m) *inhaler* (for asthma, etc.); el spray antipulgas *flea spray*
su(s) *its/hers/his/your* (formal); ¿es suyo esto? *is this yours?*
subirse *to get in, get on* (of train, bus, etc.)
sucio *dirty*
sudadera (f) *sweatshirt*
Sudamérica *South America*
sudar *to sweat*
sudor (m) *sweat*
suelo (m) *floor*; el suelo aislante *groundsheet*
sueño (m) *sleep*
suerte (f) *luck*; ¡suerte! *good luck!*
supermercado (m) *supermarket*
suplemento (m) *supplement*
supositorio (m) *suppository*
sur (m) *south*

T

tabaco (m) *tobacco*
tabla de windsurfing (f) *sailboard*
tableta de chocolate (f) *bar of chocolate*
tacón (m) *heel* (shoe)
taller (m) *garage* (for repairs)
talón (m) *heel* (foot)
talonario de cheques (m) *checkbook*
también *too* (also)
tampones (m pl) *tampons*
tan *so*; tan bueno *so good*
tanto: no tanto *not so much*; tanto ... como ... *both ... and ...*
tapiz (m) *tapestry*
tapón (m) *cap* (bottle), *plug* (sink)
taquilla (f) *box office, ticket office*
tarde (f) *evening*; (adj) *late*; *it's getting late* se está haciendo tarde
tarifa (f) *fare*
tarjeta (f) *card*; la tarjeta de banco *bank card*; la tarjeta de crédito *credit card*; la tarjeta de embarque *boarding pass*; la tarjeta de vista *business card*; la tarjeta telefónica *phonecard*
tarta (f) *cake* (large)
taxi (m) *taxi*
taza (f) *cup*
té (m) *tea*
techo (m) *ceiling*
teclado (m) *keyboard*
técnico (m) *technician*
tejado (m) *roof*
tejanos (m pl) *jeans*
tela (f) *material* (cloth)
teleférico (m) *cable car*
teléfono (m) *telephone*; el teléfono móvil *cell phone*
televisión (f) *television*; la television por cable *cable TV*
temperatura (f) *temperature*
temprano *early*
tenedor (m) *fork*
tener *to have*; tengo *I have*; no tengo *I don't have*; ¿tiene? *do you have?*; tengo que irme *I have to go*; tengo calor *I feel hot*; tengo que ... *I must ...*
teñir *to bleach* (hair)
tenis (m) *tennis*
tenue *faint* (unclear)
tercero *third*
terminal (f) *terminal*
ternera (f) *veal*
terraza (f) *terrace*
testigo (m) *witness*
tía (f) *aunt*
tiempo (m) *time, weather*
tienda (f) *store, shop*; la tienda de comestibles *grocery store*; la tienda de discos *record store*
tienda (f) *tent*
¿tiene ...? *do you have ...?*
tierra (f) *land, soil*
tijeras (f pl) *scissors*
timbre (m) *bell* (door)
tinta (f) *ink*
tinto *red* (wine)
tintorería (f) *dry cleaner*
tío (m) *uncle*
tirantes (m pl) *suspenders*
tirar de *to pull*
tirita (f) *adhesive bandage*
toalla (f) *towel*
toallitas para bebé (f pl) *baby wipes*
tobillo (m) *ankle*
toca: me toca a mí *it's my turn*
tocadiscos (m) *record player*
tocar *to feel* (touch)
todavía *yet*; todavía no *not yet*
todo *everything, all*; eso es todo *that's all*
todos *everyone*
todos los días *every day*
tomar *to take*; tomar el sol *to sunbathe*
tomate (m) *tomato*
tónica (f) *tonic*
torero (m) *bullfighter*
tormenta (f) *storm*
tornillo (m) *screw*
toro (m) *bull*
torre (f) *tower*
tortilla (f) *omelet*
tos (f) *cough*
toser *to cough*
tostada (f) *toast*
trabajar *to work* (job)
trabajo (m) *job, work*
tractor (m) *tractor*
tradición (f) *tradition*
traducir *to translate*
traductor/traductora (m/f) *translator*
traer *to fetch*
tráfico (m) *traffic*
traje (m) *suit* (clothing)
tranquilo *quiet*
trapo del polvo (m) *duster*
trasero (m) *bottom* (part of body)
tréboles (m pl) *clubs* (cards)
trece *thirteen*
treinta *thirty*
tren (m) *train*
tres *three*
triste *sad*
tú *you* (informal)
tu(s) *your* (informal); tu libro *your book*; tus zapatos *your shoes*; ¿es tuyo esto? *is this yours?*
tubería (f) *pipe* (for water)
tubo de escape (m) *exhaust*
tuerca (f) *nut* (for bolt)
tuerza (a la izquierda/derecha) *turn (left/right)*
túnel (m) *tunnel*
turismo (m) *sightseeing*
turista (m/f) *tourist*

U

último *last* (final)
ultramarinos (m) *grocer*
un/una *a*
uña (f) *finger nail*
único *single* (only)
universidad (f) *university*
uno *one*
urgente *urgent*
usar *to use*
uso (m) *use*
usted *you* (formal)
utensilios de cocina (m pl) *cooking utensils*
útil *useful*
uvas (f pl) *grapes*

V

vacaciones (f pl) *vacation*
vacío *empty*
vacuna (f) *vaccination*
vagón (m) *car* (train); el vagón-restaurante *restaurant car*
vainilla (f) *vanilla*
vale *OK*
valle (m) *valley*
válvula (f) *valve*
vapor (m) *steam, steamer* (boat); al vapor *steamed*
vaqueros (m pl) *jeans*
varios *several*
vaso (m) *glass* (for drinking)
váter (m) *toilet*
¡váyase! *go away!*
veces: a veces *sometimes*
vegetariano *vegetarian*
vehículo (m) *vehicle*

veinte *twenty*
vela (f) *sailing*; *candle*
velocidad (f) *speed*
venda (f) *bandage*
vender *to sell*
veneno (m) *poison*
venir *to vome*; ¡venga aquí! *come here!*
ventana (f) *window*
ventas (f pl) *sales*
ventilador (m) *fan* (ventilator)
ventisca (f) *blizzard*
ver *to see*; no veo *I can't see*
verdad *true*; es verdad *it's true*; ¿verdad? *isn't that so?*
verde *green*
verdulería (f) *greengrocer*
verdura (f) *vegetables*
verja (f) *gate*
vestido (m) *dress*
veterinario (m) *vet*
vez: de vez en cuando *occasionally*
viajar *to travel*; viajar en avión *fly* (of person)
viaje (m) *journey*; el viaje de novios *honeymoon*
vida (f) *life*
vídeo (m) *video* (film); el (aparato de) vídeo *video recorder*
videocámara (f) *camcorder*
vídeo-juegos (m pl) *computer/video games*
viejo *old*
viento (m) *wind*
viernes *Friday*
vigilante nocturno (m) *night porter*
vinagre (m) *vinegar*
vinatero (m) *wine merchant*
vino (m) *wine*
violín (m) *violin*
visita (f) *visit*; las horas de visita *visiting hours*; la visita con guía *guided tour*
visitante (m/f) *visitor*
visitar *to visit*
visor de imagen (m) *viewfinder*
vista (f) *view*
vitaminas (f pl) *vitamin pills*
vivero (m) *garden center*
vodka (m) *vodka*
volar *to fly* (plane, insect)
volver *to come/get back, return*; nos volvemos mañana *we get back tomorrow*
voz (f) *voice*
vuelo (m) *flight*

W, Y, Z

web site (f) *website*
whisky (m) *whiskey*
y *and*
ya *already*
yo *I*
yogur (m) *yogurt*
zanahoria (f) *carrot*
zapatería (f) *shoe store*
zapatilla (f) *washing machine*
zapatillas (f pl) *slippers*
zapatos (m pl) *shoes*; los zapatos de deporte *athletic shoes*
zona peatonal (f) *pedestrian zone*
zoo (m) *zoo*
zumo *juice* (m); el zumo de frutas *fruit juice*; el zumo de naranja *orange juice*; el zumo de tomate *tomato juice*

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